

Sixty-five Thousand, Three Hundred and Ninety-one Dollars and Seventy-seven Cents (\$65,391.77) of road and bridge funding warrants of said County, dated November 1, 1936, and authorizing the funding thereof into coupon bonds of said County, in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Act; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

(Thursday, April 22, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Felty
Alexander	Fielden
Alsup	Fox
Amos	Fuchs
Baker	Gibson
Bates	Graves
Beckworth	Hamilton
Bell	Hankamer
Blankenship	Hanna
Boethel	Harbin
Bond	Hardin
Boyer	Harper
Bradbury	Harris of Archer
Bradford	Harris of Dallas
Bridgers	Harris of Dickens
Broadfoot	Heflin
Brown	Herzik
Burton	Holland
Cagle	Hoskins
Callan	Howard
Carssow	Huddleston
Cathey	Hull
Cauthorn	Hyder
Celaya	Jackson
Cleveland	James
Colquitt	Johnson of Ellis
Davis of Haskell	Johnson
Davis of Jasper	of Tarrant
Davison of Fisher	Jones of Angelina
Davison	Jones of Atascosa
of Eastland	Jones of Falls
Dean	Jones of Wise
Deglandon	Keefe
Dickison	Keith
Dollins	Kelt
England	Kenyon
Farmer	Kern

King	Reed of Bowie
Knetsch	Reed of Dallas
Langdon	Rhodes
Lankford	Riddle
Lanning	Roark
Leath	Ross
Leonard	Russell
Leyendecker	Rutta
Little	Schuenemann
Loggins	Settle
London	Sewell
Lucas	Sharpe
Mays	Shell
Mauritz	Simpson
Mann	Skaggs
McConnell	Smith of Hopkins
McDonald	Smith
McFarland	of Matagorda
McKee	Smith of Tarrant
McKinney	Stevenson
Metcalfe	Stinson
Moffett	Stocks
Monkhouse	Talbert
Morris	Tarwater
Morse	Tennant
Newton	Tennyson
Nicholson	Thornberry
Oliver	Thornton
Palmer	Vale
Patterson of Mills	Waggoner
Patterson	Walker
of Travis	Weldon
Petsch	Westbrook
Powell	Winfree
Prescott	Wood
Quinn	Worley

Absent

Hartzog

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Pope
Derden	Ragsdale
Harrell	Reader
McCracken	

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Reader for this morning, on motion of Mr. Davis of Haskell.

Mr. McCracken for today, on motion of Mr. Boyer.

Mr. Derden for today, on account of important State business, on motion of Mr. Bradford.

Mr. Harrell and Mr. Ragsdale for today, on account of important State business, on motion of Mr. Bradford.

The following Member was granted leave of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Adkins for today, on motion of Mr. Jones of Falls.

HOUSE BILL NO. 47 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Farmer called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 47, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the repeal of Senate Bill No. 294 and known as Chapter 64 at page 152 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, wherein it was provided that school trustees in independent school districts having within their boundaries a city with a population of not less than 160,000 or more than 220,000, should be elected for a period of six years and providing among other things for the filling of vacancies and the holding of elections; repealing all laws and parts of laws (general or special) in conflict with this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Farmer moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bill, introduced today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Keith, Mr. Waggoner and Mr. Burton:

H. B. No. 1126, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Chapter 16, Special Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session of 1935."

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Hankamer moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 1127.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Alexander	Kelt
Alsup	Kenyon
Amos	Kern
Baker	King
Bates	Knetsch
Beckworth	Langdon
Bell	Lankford
Blankenship	Lanning
Boethel	Leath
Bond	Leyendecker
Boyer	Little
Bradbury	Loggins
Bradford	London
Bridgers	Lucas
Broadfoot	Mauritz
Brown	Mays
Burton	McConnell
Cagle	McDonald
Callan	McKee
Carsow	McKinney
Cauthorn	Metcalfe
Cleveland	Moffett
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Davison of Fisher	Morse
Davisson	Newton
of Eastland	Nicholson
Dean	Palmer
Deglandon	Patterson of Mills
Dollins	Patterson
England	of Travis
Farmer	Petsch
Felty	Powell
Fielden	Prescott
Fox	Quinn
Gibson	Reed of Bowie
Graves	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Rhodes
Hankamer	Riddle
Hanna	Roark
Harbin	Ross
Hardin	Russell
Harris of Archer	Rutta
Harris of Dallas	Schuenemann
Harris of Dickens	Settle
Hartzog	Sewell
Heflin	Sharpe
Herzik	Shell
Holland	Simpson
Hoskins	Skaggs
Huddleston	Smith of Hopkins
Hull	Smith
Hyder	of Matagorda
James	Smith of Tarrant
Johnson of Ellis	Stevenson
Jones of Angelina	Stocks
Jones of Atascosa	Talbert
Jones of Falls	Tarwater
Jones of Wise	Tennyson
Keith	Thornberry

Thornton
Vale
Waggoner

Weldon
Wood
Worley

Absent

Cathey	Leonard
Celaya	Mann
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Dickison	Oliver
Fuchs	Reader
Harper	Stinson
Howard	Tennant
Jackson	Walker
Johnson	Westbrook
of Tarrant	Winfree
Keefe	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Hankamer, Mr. Bridgers and Mr. Jackson:

H. B. No. 1127, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the designation of the territorial limits of unincorporated cities, towns and villages through which State Highways and public roads pass, and providing for the designation of school zones on State Highways, public roads and streets and alleys, and providing for the erection and maintenance of signs, markers, signals or lights designating the limits of such unincorporated cities, towns or villages; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

CONCERNING THE USE OF CERTAIN TEXT BOOKS IN PUBLIC FREE SCHOOLS

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, House Concurrent Resolution No. 33, Concerning the use of text books in public schools of Texas.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time and referred to the Committee on Education.

The Committee on Education having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING CHRISTIAN RESTORATION ASSOCIATION PERMISSION TO SUE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 53, Granting Christian Restoration Association permission to sue the State.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, April 22, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

H. B. No. 38, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3, of Senate Bill No. 247, Chapter No. 158, page No. 400, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, 1933, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the purchasing, handling, sale and accounting of sales of citrus fruit grown in the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments).

H. B. No. 169, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation to pay the Presidential Electors of Texas, providing how it shall be made, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2815a, Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 404, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to C. A. Gindratt and wife, their heirs and assigns, permission to bring suit against the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 452, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 6111, 6113, 6116 and 6122, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

H. B. No. 571, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the

Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas to deed, convey, assign, and/or transfer all right, title and interest of whatsoever class, kind or character, directly or indirectly belonging to the State of Texas in and to that tract of land known as the Lampasas State Park, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 611, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the State Highway Department, in conjunction with the Bureau of Public Roads, to expend, from and after July 1, 1937, upon roads not a part of the system of State highways, funds appropriated for expenditure on such roads under the Hayden-Cartwright Act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 615, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an emergency appropriation to pay court costs accrued in the case of State of Texas versus Atlantic Oil Producing Company, et al, No. 53453, which case was tried in the District Court of Travis County and is now on appeal in the Court of Civil Appeals, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 750, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 144, Acts, Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, page 383 of the Compiled Laws of said Session; providing the open season for the killing of wild mourning doves, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

H. B. No. 936, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 6699, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 985, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the extension of the Rio Grande Compact, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1007, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to marks and brands of live stock in Jasper and Newton Counties, and declaring an emergency." (With amendment.)

H. B. No. 1045, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring it unlawful to sell, take, have for barter or sale for a period of 5 years any wild fox or the pelts thereof in the counties of Hunt and Rains, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 513, Chapter 205, passed by the Fortieth Legislature at its Regular

Session, approved March 29, 1927, amending Article 455, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; authorizing the administration of the stockholders' liability fund by the Banking Commissioner; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Article 543, Chapter I, Title 11 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 4 of Senate Bill No. 165, Chapter 165, passed by the Forty-second Legislature, at its Regular Session; prescribing the duties of corporations therein defined with respect to publication of statements and with respect to the payment of certain filing fees; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to pay judgments of the district and county courts refunding to the heirs, devisees, legatees or legal representatives of deceased persons, whose estates have escheated to the State such sums of money belonging to such escheated estates as have been paid into the public treasury; authorizing the payment of such claims on the taking effect of this Act and the filing with the Comptroller of such a copy of the order of the court under seal of the court, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 204, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of \$611,672.28, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to pay the apportionment for the period now due and to be due for the balance of the State fiscal year ending August 31, 1937, to all counties in which the county officers are compensated on the basis of a salary, as provided for in Section 6 of Senate Bill No. 5, enacted at the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 352, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation from the Treasury of the State of Texas from any funds not otherwise

appropriated, to the Upper Colorado River Authority; providing for the method of drawing warrants; providing for the payment thereof, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 476, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 174, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fourth Legislature by adding thereto a new Section to be known and designated as Section 1a following Section 1 of said Act, and amending Section 3 of Chapter 174, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fourth Legislature, re-appropriating the unexpended balances of the appropriation of Three Million Dollars (\$3,000,000.00) made in said Act according to the allocation of said fund as made in Section 1 thereof and recreating the Commission of Control for Texas Centennial Celebration and prescribing the duties of said commission and amending Section 18 of Chapter 174, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fourth Legislature in order to re-appropriate the unexpended balance of the One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars heretofore appropriated to the use of the State Board of Control for the purpose of paying expenses for the administration of the duties imposed upon said board under the Act, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 483, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending subdivision 22 of Article 199, Title 8, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and providing for changing and prescribing terms and times of holding Court in the 22nd Judicial District of Texas, validating and continuing all process, and writs, bonds and recognizances and making them returnable to the terms of Court in the several counties in said district as herein fixed, to validate the summoning of Grand and Petit jurors under the present law so as to render them available under the present Act; enacting proper provisions relative to any term of court that may be in session when this Act takes effect, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 484, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6067, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 485, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 4, Senate Bill No. 28, Chapter 2, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-

fourth Legislature, so as to extend the time of existence of the Special District Court of Rusk County, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 27, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating \$96,000.00 for the support and maintenance of Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 511, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the execution of an agreement to extend the Interstate Compact to conserve oil and gas; prescribing the form of the agreement; prescribing procedure for withdrawal from the compact, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 196, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the relief of the Douglassville Common School District No. 20, Cass County, Texas, in order to aid said District in rebuilding and equipping its school that was destroyed by fire in December, 1935, making an appropriation to said District for said property, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills and resolutions.

H. B. No. 661, "An Act declaring certain months closed to fishing in Jones and Shackelford Counties; providing means and methods of taking and possessing fish from the fresh waters of said Counties; prohibiting the sale of fish taken from fresh waters of said Counties; prescribing the bag limit that may be taken in any one day and declaring fish under certain sizes shall be returned to the water which they were taken; providing that any person who violates provisions of this Act to be guilty of a misdemeanor, fixing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 115, "An Act to amend Article 1442, Chapter 10, Title 17 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, by increasing the maximum

penalty for the theft of sheep or goat from four years to ten years, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 566, "An Act declaring it unlawful for any person to sell, take or have in his possession for the purpose of barter or sale any wild fox or the pelt thereof in Cass County; declaring it unlawful for any person to catch any fur bearing animal in Cass County with a steel trap, dead fall, or any other mechanical device; providing that this Act shall not include moles, gophers and salamanders as fur bearing animals and providing that this Act shall not apply to the taking of fur bearing animals with dogs; providing a penalty for the violation of this Act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict; providing that this Act shall be in force for a period of five years, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 67, "An Act amending Section 1, Chapter 314, General Laws of the State of Texas, Forty-first Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Chapter 24 of the General Laws of the Second Called Session thereof, and Chapter 227, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, 1931, so as to hereinafter provide that motor carriers and motor vehicles subject to jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission shall be those operating for compensation and hire and providing that the term, 'compensation and hire' shall not include vehicles transporting goods owned by the owner of such vehicle."

H. B. No. 116, "An Act to amend Article 1441, Chapter 10, Title 17 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, by increasing the maximum penalty for the theft of cattle or hog from four years to ten years, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1009, "An Act to authorize the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas to establish and maintain a horticultural and agricultural experiment station at some point within the limits of the El Paso irrigated valley in the State of Texas for the purpose of making scientific investigations and experiments in the production of cotton, alfalfa, and farm crops, etc., and declaring an emergency."

S. C. R. No. 1, Providing for the adoption of Joint Rules for the House and Senate.

H. C. R. No. 98, Authorizing certain corrections in House Bill No. 566.

H. C. R. No. 99, Authorizing certain correction in House Bill No. 661.

H. C. R. No. 100, Authorizing use of certain highway equipment.

CONSIDERATION OF VETO OF SENATE BILL NO. 114

The Speaker laid before the House, as postponed business, for consideration at this time, Senate Bill No. 114, concerning the donation and granting to Harris County, Texas, of certain taxes.

The bill having been returned from the Governor with his veto of same, with motion by Mr. Keith that the bill be passed, notwithstanding the Governor's objection, pending.

Mr. Hanna moved the previous question on the motion by Mr. Keith, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, it was lost.

Mr. Petsch moved a call of the House, for the purpose of maintaining a quorum, pending consideration of the motion by Mr. Keith, and the call was duly ordered.

The roll of the House was called, and a quorum was announced present.

Mr. Morse moved to reconsider the vote by which the call of the House was ordered.

Mr. Morris moved to table the motion to reconsider by Mr. Morse.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Petsch moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to bring in all Members within the city who are not ill.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Winfree moved the previous question on the motion by Mr. Keith, and the main question was ordered.

Question—Shall the motion of Mr. Keith, that Senate Bill No. 114 be passed, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, prevail?

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—64

Baker	Cathey
Boyer	Celaya
Bridgers	Davisson
Callan	of Eastland
Carssow	Dean

Dickison	Mann
Dollins	Mauritz
Farmer	Mays
Felty	McDonald
Fox	McFarland
Fuchs	McKee
Gibson	McKinney
Hankamer	Moffett
Harbin	Monkhouse
Hardin	Morse
Harris of Dallas	Newton
Hartzog	Nicholson
Heflin	Oliver
Holland	Prescott
Hoskins	Reed of Dallas
Howard	Rutta
Huddleston	Schuenemann
Hull	Settle
Jackson	Simpson
James	Smith
Johnson	of Matagorda
of Tarrant	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Atascosa	Stevenson
Kenyon	Thornton
Leonard	Vale
Leyendecker	Walker
Little	Weldon
Loggins	Winfree
Lucas	

Nays—73

Alexander	Keith
Alsup	Kelt
Amos	Kern
Bates	King
Beckworth	Knetsch
Bell	Langdon
Blankenship	Lankford
Boethel	Lanning
Bond	Leath
Bradbury	London
Broadfoot	McConnell
Brown	Metcalf
Burton	Morris
Cagle	Palmer
Cauthorn	Patterson of Mills
Cleveland	Patterson
Colquitt	of Travis
Davis of Haskell	Petsch
Davison of Fisher	Powell
Deglandon	Reed of Bowie
England	Rhodes
Fielden	Riddle
Graves	Roark
Hamilton	Ross
Hanna	Russell
Harper	Sewell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dickens	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Ellis	Stinson
Jones of Angelina	Stocks
Jones of Falls	Talbert
Jones of Wise	Tarwater
Keefe	Tennant

Tennyson	Westbrook
Thornberry	Wood
Waggoner	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Bradford	Quinn
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Absent

Davis of Jasper	Reader
Hyder	Shell

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

PAIRED

Mr. Bradford (present), who would vote "yea", with Mr. Harrell (absent), who would vote "nay".

Mr. Petsch moved to reconsider the vote by which the House failed to pass Senate Bill No. 114, notwithstanding the Governor's objections, and to table the motion to reconsider.

Mr. Bond raised a point of order, on further consideration of the motion to reconsider, on the ground that the motion is not applicable to a vote to pass a bill over the Governor's veto.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

REASONS FOR VOTE

I voted for Senate Bill No. 114 for the reason that Precinct 2 in Jefferson County is receiving remission at this time and I, as a representative receiving such remission should grant other sections of Texas the same privilege as my district receives and same is not a vote against the administration.

McKEE.

I voted "yea" on Senate Bill No. 114, overriding the Governor's veto and remitting one-half of the State ad valorem taxes to Harris County, for the reason that the remission is necessary and important to the whole of the State of Texas in that it will prevent or assist in preventing the filling by silt from storm waters heretofore finding their way into the port channel.

The port channel is necessary to all the people of the State because Houston is the great port of entry of Texas and through this port the cotton and other commodities of Texas

are shipped to the markets of the world, and the expenses of which should not fall solely upon one county when its benefits inure to the whole of this State.

I think it is easily comparable to the remission for the port at Galveston. The diversion of the taxes for Harris County or a part thereof will not increase the tax levies on any other county in the State for the reason that the valuations are placed by the various commissioners' courts and the rate is fixed by the Constitution of the State.

I believe every good reason would require that the whole State participate in clearing that channel for the reasons above stated, and for that reason I voted "yea" on final passage.

JONES of Atascosa.

HOUSE BILL NO. 99 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Leonard called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the purchasing, handling, sale and accounting of sales of citrus fruit grown in the State of Texas; defining terms as used herein, providing for bond and license for citrus fruit dealers; prescribing and fixing duties and powers of the Commissioner of Agriculture with reference to the Act and its operation and enforcement; defining offenses and prescribing penalties for the violation of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Leonard the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1007 WITH SEN- ATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Davis of Jasper called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 1007, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to marks and brands of live stock in Jasper and Newton Counties, requiring that each owner of any live stock mentioned in Chapter 1 of Title 121 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, shall within

six (6) months after this Act takes effect, have his mark and brand for such stock recorded at the office of the County Clerk of said Counties; without any cost to owner and providing that such owners shall so record such marks and brands whether heretofore recorded or not and that after the expiration of six (6) months from the taking effect of this Act all records of marks and brands now in existence in Jasper and Newton Counties shall no longer have any force or effect and that after the expiration of six (6) months only the records made after this Act shall be effective and considered the recorded marks and brands in said Counties; and further providing that the County Clerk shall publish this Act in some newspaper in general circulation in said Counties for a period of thirty (30) days, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Davis of Jasper, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, April 22, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

H. B. No. 600, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 350, Acts of Forty-fourth Legislature, being the Rural Aid appropriation, by providing additional appropriation for carrying out provisions of said Act, repealing all conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

H. B. No. 397, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the purchase of a site and for the establishment, location, and construction of a hospital for the white mentally ill, naming the same, and providing for the care, treatment and support of white mentally ill persons; to make an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

H. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7005, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third

Legislature; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

TEXAS, THE PROMISE AND THE FULFILLMENT

Hon. Fred Mauritz moved that the following address, delivered by the Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives, at the dedication of the monument on the San Jacinto Battlefield on April 21, 1937, be printed in the Journal.

The motion prevailed unanimously.

"Mr. Chairman, Sons and Daughters of the Republic of Texas, Ladies and Gentlemen:

As a day of celebration of the one hundred and first anniversary of the triumphant victory of the Texas Army at the Battle of San Jacinto draws to a close, it behooves us to pause long enough to determine whether or not we, the citizens of this great State and Commonwealth, have justified the faith in the countless generations to follow which prompted our forefathers to take up arms and shed their blood, to endure privations and to lay down their lives in the year 1836.

No greater honor has ever been accorded me than that afforded by the Sons and Daughters of the Republic of Texas in inviting me here on this occasion to speak for all Texans and all Texas the humble words of praise of the founders of this land of liberty and opportunity, which mark this occasion from year to year. This honor is multiplied many fold by the fact that this celebration follows hard upon a year of celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of Texas Independence; and again the honor is multiplied by the dedication here today of that magnificent and monumental shaft that will stand as an awe-inspiring reminder of the valor and sacrifice, the courage and the perseverance of the hardy men who, with foresight and confidence, laid the foundation stone of a civilization and a people that have flourished and flowered in this empire of the Southwest.

Truth is truly stranger than fiction; and no more romantic story was ever written by the pen of the novel-

ist than the true story of the early history of Texas. There is no yardstick by which the character of the early Texan may be measured. The new land was sparsely peopled by farmers, traders, a few doctors and lawyers, a transient element of adventurers, Yankees from the north, gentlemen adventurers from Virginia and Carolina, hardened settlers from Missouri and Tennessee, drunkards and gamblers, killers and priests, bluebloods and bad men. But whatever the background of the early Texas settlers may have been, they came to Texas with the hope of establishing homes, of erecting schools and churches, and of building a civilization where they and their families might enjoy liberty of person and the other attributes of freedom guaranteed by a democratic government.

In most instances, the coming of the Anglo-American settler to Texas was at the special instance and request of the Spanish and Mexican Governments. Colonists brought to this country by Stephen F. Austin and other early colonizers were not the type of men to force themselves upon any government. On the contrary, they were peace loving people, hoping to find a place where they might acquire and enjoy property and live in subservience to the governmental authorities without friction, without violence and without bloodshed. It was no fault of theirs that the officials of the government, at whose invitation they came, betrayed them. It was through no fault of these early Texans or of the people of the Mexican Republic that the peace and tranquility of the Anglo-American citizens of Texas were short-lived. There arose on the horizon a Mexican leader, the self-styled 'Napoleon of the West', Santa Anna, who proposed through oppression and tyranny and double dealing to so harrass the American citizens of Texas as that their homes, their farms, their schools and their churches should be taken from them. But this arrogant and grasping despot reckoned without the traditions and courage of the American people. This shortsighted dictator failed to see the impetus behind the movement that was gradually pushing American settlements and American civilization toward the Western coast of the American continent—a movement that could not be halted by the fiercest

Indian tribes; a movement that had not been halted by the great and imperial English nation; a movement that could not and had not been halted by the force of man or the forces of nature; a movement that was calculated from its beginning to culminate in the successful settlement and occupation of the vast territory lying between the Mississippi River and the Pacific Ocean and North of the Rio Grande.

The history of the Texas revolution and war for independence has been reviewed within the year many times and on many occasions. It was in a sense a short-lived war, but one filled with drama, history making in its successful conclusion.

The Mexican President and General, Santa Anna, marched his troops across the Rio Grande River in February of 1836, and proceeded to Bexar where stood the Alamo and laid siege to that immortal fortress and its handful of valiant defenders. The defense of the Alamo by Travis, Bowie, Bonham and Crockett and their beleaguered but brave comrades in arms is an outstanding chapter in the history of the world, as well as the history of Texas. No more glorious stand in the face of overwhelming odds and in the knowledge of certain defeat was ever made by the trained soldiers of the world's armies of great renown. After many days of terrific bombardment and hand-to-hand fighting, the little fortress fell into the hands of the Mexicans, but not a defender remained to tell the story of the battle. For Santa Anna it was a victory without its laurels; for the Texans it was a defeat that was destined to live in the memories of all free peoples, and to spur their remaining comrades to eventual success on the battle field and to ultimate freedom.

Continuing his triumphal march, the Mexican General proceeded to Goliad where Fannin and his followers surrendered in the face of overwhelming odds and in the hope of receiving mercy at the hands of the conqueror. The sensibilities of all civilized people were outraged by the butchery of the defenseless Fannin and his followers.

Having in mind the slaughter at the Alamo and the butchery at Goliad, is it any wonder that the Texas Army, as it fell upon the Mexican General and his troops at San Jacinto, should have had for their battle cry 'Re-

member the Alamo! Remember Goliad!'

Here on this hallowed ground was the independence of Texas won. General Sam Houston, that Robin Hood of American history; that romantic soldier of fortune, who in his youth had climbed the ramparts at New Orleans, had battled the fiercest Indians and had treated with the peaceful tribes; who had won for himself a place of distinction in the American Congress and had been rewarded by the people of the State of Tennessee with the office of Governor; who had, uncowed and unashamed, resigned that high office for reasons best known to himself and returned to a peaceful life among the Indian tribes, and who could not resist the fundamental urge of his nature to strike a blow in the cause of freedom for the downtrodden; who was molded from the clay from which leaders came, and whose life was crowned with distinction and honor at the hands of his adopted people, rode in the vanguard at the Battle of San Jacinto, and behind him stormed a band of Texans fierce in their determination to avenge the defeats at the Alamo and Goliad, determined in their hearts to annihilate their oppressor. It was a ragged, hungry, poorly provisioned and poorly garbed Texas army that within a few minutes had swept from the field of battle a well trained Mexican army of twice their number. Armed with muskets and without bayonets they charged the Mexican forces and used their gunstocks in hand to hand fighting to hammer their enemy into submission.

Too much praise cannot be heaped upon those who on that day fought in the cause of freedom and liberty. It would not be possible here to name all who on that day distinguished themselves with valor, but it is not amiss to note that history records that in the forefront of the battle was Col. Edward Burleson, Col. Sidney Sherman, Col. Geo. W. Hockley, Lt. Col. Henry Millard, Col. Mirabeau B. Lamar, Thos. J. Rusk and John A. Wharton. History records that when the battle was done, the Texans left upon the field of battle nine killed and thirty-four wounded. Whereas, those few of the Mexican Army who escaped, left behind them 630 killed, 208 wounded and 730 prisoners.

The Mexican General and President, Santa Anna himself, was captured as

he attempted to hide in the high grass growing in the marshland.

The victory of the Texans on this battle ground was truly a great victory. Under the vicious attack of the Texans Santa Anna himself is claimed to have said to one of his Generals, 'So sudden and fierce was the enemy's charge that the earth seemed to move and tremble.' The victory of the Texans at San Jacinto marked the culmination of their battle for freedom, of their battle for independence, of their battle for democratic ideals and principles! It is well that we honor those who here lost their lives with the towering memorial this day dedicated upon these grounds, and yet we can paraphrase General Sam Houston's statement in his farewell speech to his army and say to those who fought here that 'liberty having been firmly established by your patience and valor, it is fame enough to say that you were a member of the army of San Jacinto!'

What was the compelling force that caused Texans of a century ago to take to their saddles and muskets, leaving behind them their families and homes? What was the impelling motive that carried the Texas soldiers to victory at San Jacinto? There must have been some underlying cause other than their natural and in-born aversion to oppression and tyranny. Let one who lived in that day and who distinguished himself for his valient service in the early days of the Republic speak. On April 26, 1836, just 5 days after the battle of San Jacinto, and no doubt before the news of the Texas victory had reached his ears, William H. Wharton appealing to all Americans in a speech delivered at the Masonic Hall in New York City, said:

'Of one fact, however, you may be assured: Mexico can never conquer Texas! We may be exterminated, but we can never be conquered. But I have gone too far in this admission. We cannot be exterminated! The ultimate triumph of our cause is as certain as that the sun will continue to illuminate the universe. Like the sun itself, it may be temporarily obscured by passing clouds, but it will again burst forth with its all-dazzling and undying effulgence. The justice and benevolence of God will forbid that the delightful region of Texas should again become a howling wil-

derness, trod only by savages; or that it should be permanently benighted by the ignorance and superstition, the anarchy and rapine of Mexican misrule. The Anglo-American race are destined to be forever the proprietors of this land of promise and fulfillment. Their laws will govern it; their learning will enlighten it; their enterprise will improve it. Their flocks will range its boundless pastures; for them its fertile lands will yield their luxuriant harvests; its beauteous rivers will waft the products of their industry and enterprise, and their latest posterity will here enjoy legacies of 'price unspeakable', in the possession of homes fortified by the genius of liberty, and sanctified by the spirit of a beneficent and tolerant religion. This is inevitable, for the wilderness of Texas has been redeemed by Anglo-American blood and enterprise . . . Yes, they have founded them on a basis which, without being a prophet, I venture to assert will be co-durable with the liberties of this land of Washington.'

Here we have the promise, my friends, the promise of one speaking for the many who, though he characterized himself as being without prophetic vision, yet stands as a prophet. One who put into words the promise that was ever before the eyes and ever in the minds and hearts of the Texas American; a promise of a promised land; a promise of a great empire that should be dotted with peaceful homes and thriving industries; a promise of a land about which it was said by that great Southern General, Robert E. Lee, as he stood on the plains of Texas, 'I am listening to the foot steps of the coming millions.' No greater goal could have been sought, no greater achievement than the fullness of this promise.

In the Texas we know today we find the fulfillment of the promise. A great State that gave up its independent existence to become one of a great union of states; a land in whose crumbling missions and historic landmarks a touch of the old world remains; a land in which the scenic wonders of the Southwest compare favorably with nature's handiwork in any land; a land whose great rolling plains are as productive as the plains of the middle West; a land whose black central areas and coastal

regions could produce enough cotton for all of the world's use; a land from whose oil derricks the flowing gold of that industry has made rich indeed; a land across whose plains the shepherd's herds graze in peace and where the cowboy cracks his whip above the heads of blooded herefords; a land beneath which yet lies stored the gold vaults of the world—this is the land that was promised us.

This is the fulfillment of the promise.

Not only may Texas boast of the fulfillment of the promise in material ways, but proudly we may exult with Bruce Barton 'That the rich State of Texas is doubly rich in sons and daughters. From the days of Sam Houston, with his vision of freedom, of Mirabeau Lamar, with his vision of education, the men of Texas have been quick to make today's dream tomorrow's truth'."

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following Senate bills, received from the Senate today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 131, to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 133, to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 134, to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 150, to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 204, to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 352, to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 476, to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 483, to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

Senate Bill No. 484, to the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill No. 485, to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

Senate Bill No. 27, to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 196, to the Committee on Appropriations.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Mr. Cagle asked unanimous consent of the House that the Engrossing Clerk be instructed to insert the word "officers" in the Cagle amendment to House Joint Resolution No. 10, wherever necessary.

There was no objection offered, and it was so ordered.

RECESS

Mr. Hanna moved that the House recess until 2:30 o'clock p. m., today.

Mr. Kern moved that the House recess until 2:00 o'clock p. m., today.

The motion of Mr. Kern prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 12:20 o'clock p. m., took recess until 2:00 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 2:00 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

ENTERTAINMENT BY MIXED CHORUS OF THE TEXAS COLLEGE OF ARTS AND INDUSTRIES

In accordance with the provisions of a resolution heretofore adopted by the House, extending an invitation to the Mixed Chorus of the College of Arts and Industries of Kingsville, to sing in the House of Representatives today, Speaker Calvert presented Mr. Vale, who introduced Mr. Paul W. Riley, Director of Music and Fine Arts and Industries of Kingsville College.

Mr. Riley then directed the Club in several selections.

SENATE BILL NO. 137 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

S. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for and fixing the salaries of the members of the Judiciary of the State of Texas; amending Section 1 of House Bill No. 280, Chapter 148, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, as amended by Section 1 of House Bill No. 417, Chapter 355, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; repealing all laws

in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

Mr. Thornton moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 137 was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—71

Baker	Little
Bell	Mann
Blankenship	Mauritz
Boethel	McConnell
Bond	McFarland
Boyer	McKinney
Bradford	Moffett
Burton	Monkhouse
Carssow	Morris
Cauthorn	Morse
Celaya	Newton
Dickison	Palmer
Dollins	Patterson
England	of Travis
Felty	Quinn
Gibson	Reed of Dallas
Graves	Riddle
Hankamer	Roark
Harper	Russell
Harris of Dallas	Rutta
Heflin	Settle
Holland	Sewell
Howard	Sharpe
Hull	Simpson
Jackson	Skaggs
Johnson of Ellis	Smith
Jones of Angelina	of Matagorda
Jones of Atascosa	Stinson
Jones of Falls	Stocks
Jones of Wise	Talbert
Keefe	Tennant
Keith	Thornberry
Kenyon	Thornton
Knetsch	Vale
Langdon	Waggoner
Leonard	Worley
Leyendecker	

Nays—41

Alsup	Cleveland
Amos	Davis of Jasper
Bates	Davison of Fisher
Beckworth	Deglandon
Bradbury	Fielden
Bridgers	Hamilton
Brown	Hanna
Cagle	Harbin
Callan	Hardin

Harris of Archer	Powell
Huddleston	Prescott
James	Reed of Bowie
Kelt	Rhodes
Kern	Ross
King	Stevenson
Lankford	Tennyson
Lanning	Walker
Loggins	Weldon
Lucas	Westbrook
Oliver	Wood
Petsch	

Absent

Alexander	Johnson
Broadfoot	of Tarrant
Cathey	Leath
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Mays
Davisson	McDonald
of Eastland	McKee
Dean	Metcalfe
Farmer	Nicholson
Fox	Patterson of Mills
Fuchs	Reader
Harris of Dickens	Schuenemann
Hartzog	Shell
Herzik	Smith of Hopkins
Hoskins	Smith of Tarrant
Hyder	Tarwater
	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO.
13 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. J. R. No. 13, Proposing an amendment to Article XVI, Section 56, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that the Legislature is authorized to appropriate not to exceed the sum of One Million (\$1,000,000.00) Dollars, per year for a period of five (5) successive years.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Keith offered the following committee amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, by striking out all below the resolving clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Section 56 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas be amended to read as follows:

"Section 56. The Legislature shall have the power, commencing at any period within two (2) years after the adoption of this amendment, to appropriate not to exceed the sum of Six Hundred Thousand (\$600,000.00) Dollars, each year for five (5) consecutive years, for any purpose intended to bring immigrants, tourists, and industries to this State; provided no appropriation shall be made for a longer term than two (2) years; provided, further, that at the expiration of such period as herein provided for, the Legislature shall have no power to appropriate any of the public money for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Immigration, or for any purpose of bringing immigrants, tourists, or industries to this State. Provided, further, that no funds shall be appropriated hereunder until revenues shall have been provided for by the levy of special taxes for this purpose.

"Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the fourth Monday of August, 1937, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write, or have printed on their ballots, the words, 'For the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may appropriate not to exceed Six Hundred Thousand (\$600,000.00) Dollars, in any one year, for a period of five (5) successive years, for the purpose of bringing immigrants, tourists, and industries into this State'; those voters opposing said amendment shall write, or have printed on their ballots, the words, 'Against the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Legislature may appropriate not to exceed Six Hundred Thousand (\$600,000.00) Dollars in any one year, for a period of five (5) successive years, for the purpose of bringing immigrants, tourists and industries into this State'.

"Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

"Section 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the Treasury of the State, not otherwise

appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election."

Mr. Hardin offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 13, by striking out the figures "Six Hundred Thousand" and insert in lieu thereof "Fifty Cents."

HARDIN,
PRESCOTT,
FIELDEN,
REED of Bowie.

(Mr. Roark in the Chair.)

Mr. Keefe moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 be laid on the table.

Question recurring on the motion to table the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—68

Alsup	Kern
Amos	King
Bates	Langdon
Beckworth	Lankford
Bell	Lanning
Boethel	London
Bond	Lucas
Bradbury	McCracken
Bradford	McKinney
Broadfoot	Metcalfe
Brown	Morris
Burton	Oliver
Cagle	Palmer
Cathey	Patterson of Mills
Colquitt	Patterson
Davisson	of Travis
of Eastland	Petsch
England	Powell
Farmer	Prescott
Fielden	Quinn
Graves	Reed of Bowie
Harbin	Rhodes
Hardin	Riddle
Harper	Russell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dickens	Simpson
Herzik	Skaggs
Huddleston	Smith of Hopkins
James	Talbert
Johnson of Ellis	Tarwater
Jones of Angelina	Tennant
Jones of Wise	Thornberry
Keefe	Weldon
Kelt	Westbrook
Kenyon	Worley

Nays—68

Alexander	Baker
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Blankenship	Little
Boyer	Loggins
Bridgers	Mann
Callan	Mays
Carssow	McConnell
Cauthorn	McDonald
Celaya	McFarland
Cleveland	McKee
Davis of Jasper	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Dickison	Morse
Dollins	Newton
Felty	Nicholson
Fuchs	Reader
Gibson	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Ross
Hankamer	Rutta
Hanna	Schuenemann
Harris of Dallas	Settle
Heflin	Sewell
Holland	Shell
Hoskins	Smith
Howard	of Matagorda
Hull	Smith of Tarrant
Hyder	Stevenson
Jackson	Stinson
Johnson	Stocks
of Tarrant	Tennyson
Jones of Atascosa	Thornton
Jones of Falls	Vale
Keith	Waggoner
Knetsch	Walker
Leonard	Winfree
Leyendecker	Wood

Absent

Davis of Haskell	Hartzog
Davison of Fisher	Leath
Dean	Mauritz
Fox	Roark

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Pope
Derden	Ragsdale
Harrell	

Mr. Petsch moved the previous question on the pending amendments, and the resolution, and the main question was ordered.

Question first recurring on the amendment, by Mr. Hardin, to the committee amendment, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment to the committee amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—33

Beckworth	Burton
Bell	Cagle
Bond	Farmer
Bradford	Fielden
Brown	Hardin

Harris of Archer	Palmer
Huddleston	Patterson
Jones of Wise	of Travis
Keefe	Prescott
Kelt	Reed of Bowie
Kenyon	Riddle
Kern	Russell
Langdon	Skaggs
Lankford	Talbert
London	Tennant
McKinney	Weldon
Morris	Westbrook

Nays—92

Alexander	Knetsch
Alsup	Lanning
Amos	Leonard
Baker	Leyendecker
Blankenship	Little
Boethel	Loggins
Boyer	Lucas
Bradbury	Mann
Bridgers	Mays
Callan	McConnell
Cathey	McDonald
Cauthorn	McFarland
Celaya	McKee
Cleveland	Moffett
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Newton
Davisson	Nicholson
of Eastland	Oliver
Deglandon	Patterson of Mills
Dickison	Petsch
Dollins	Quinn
England	Reed of Dallas
Gibson	Rhodes
Graves	Ross
Hamilton	Rutta
Hankamer	Schuenemann
Hanna	Sewell
Harbin	Shell
Harper	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Smith of Hopkins
Harris of Dickens	Smith
Heflin	of Matagorda
Herzik	Smith of Tarrant
Holland	Stevenson
Howard	Stinson
Hull	Stocks
Hyder	Tarwater
Jackson	Tennyson
James	Thornberry
Johnson of Ellis	Thornton
Johnson	Vale
of Tarrant	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	Walker
Jones of Atascosa	Winfree
Jones of Falls	Wood
Keith	Worley
King	

Present—Not Voting

Powell	Sharpe
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Absent		Thornton	Walker
Bates	Hartzog	Vale	Winfree
Broadfoot	Hoskins	Waggoner	Wood
Carssow	Leath	Nays—67	
Davis of Haskell	Mauritz	Alsup	Knetsch
Dean	Metcalf	Amos	Langdon
Felty	Reader	Bates	Lankford
Fox	Roark	Beckworth	Lanning
Fuchs	Settle	Bell	London
Absent—Excused		Boethel	Lucas
Adkins	McCracken	Bond	McConnell
Derden	Pope	Bradbury	McKinney
Harrell	Ragsdale	Bradford	Metcalf
Question next recurring on the committee amendment, it was adopted.		Brown	Moffett
Question—Shall Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 pass to third reading?		Burton	Morris
The roll of the House was called and the vote announced as follows: Yeas, 70; nays, 66.		Cagle	Palmer
(Speaker in the Chair.)		Cathey	Patterson of Mills
A verification of the vote was requested.		Colquitt	Patterson
The roll of the "yeas" and "nays" was again called, and the verified vote resulted as follows:		Davis of Jasper	of Travis
Yeas—67		England	Petsch
Alexander	Jones of Falls	Farmer	Powell
Baker	Keith	Fielden	Prescott
Blankenship	Leath	Graves	Reed of Bowie
Boyer	Leonard	Harbin	Rhodes
Bridgers	Leyendecker	Hardin	Riddle
Callan	Little	Harris of Archer	Russell
Carssow	Loggins	Harris of Dickens	Sharpe
Cauthorn	Mann	Herzik	Simpson
Celaya	Mays	Huddleston	Skaggs
Cleveland	McDonald	James	Smith of Hopkins
Davison of Fisher	McFarland	Johnson of Ellis	Talbert
Davisson	McKee	Jones of Angelina	Tarwater
of Eastland	Monkhouse	Jones of Wise	Tennant
Deglandon	Morse	Keefe	Tennyson
Dickison	Newton	Kelt	Thornberry
Dollins	Nicholson	Kenyon	Weldon
Fox	Oliver	Kern	Westbrook
Gibson	Quinn	King	Worley
Hamilton	Reader	Present—Not Voting	
Hankamer	Reed of Dallas	Harper	
Hanna	Ross	Absent	
Harris of Dallas	Rutta	Broadfoot	Fuchs
Heflin	Schuenemann	Davis of Haskell	Hartzog
Holland	Settle	Dean	Mauritz
Hoskins	Sewell	Felty	Roark
Howard	Shell	Absent—Excused	
Hull	Smith	Adkins	McCracken
Hyder	of Matagorda	Derden	Pope
Jackson	Smith of Tarrant	Harrell	Ragsdale
Johnson	Stevenson	The Speaker announced that the resolution failed to pass to third reading.	
of Tarrant	Stinson	HOUSE BILL NO. 750 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS	
Jones of Atascosa	Stocks	Mr. Quinn called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amend-	

ments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 750, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 144, Acts, Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, page 383 of the Compiled Laws of said Session; providing the open season for the killing of wild mourning doves; and providing that it be lawful to hunt, take or kill wild mourning doves during the months of October and November in the Counties of Chambers, Jefferson and Orange, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Quinn moved that the House concur in the Senate amendments.

Mr. Roark moved, as a substitute, that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

Mr. Thornton moved to table the substitute motion by Mr. Roark.

The motion to table was lost.

Question then recurring on the substitute motion by Mr. Roark, it prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Quinn, the Conference Committee was instructed to report the bill not later than Wednesday, April 28.

HOUSE BILL NO. 397 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Settle called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 397, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the purchase of a site and for the establishment, location, and construction of a hospital for the white mentally ill, naming the same, and providing for the care, treatment and support of white mentally ill persons; to make an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Settle moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

In accordance with the above action, the Speaker announced the appoint-

ment of the following Conference Committee: Messrs. Settle, Davison of Fisher, Harris of Dickens, Roark and Heflin.

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 47

Mr. Hull moved to reconsider the vote by which the House, on this morning, refused to concur in Senate amendments to House Bill No. 47, and requested the appointment of a conference committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses.

Mr. Farmer moved to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table was lost.

Question next recurring on the motion by Mr. Hull to reconsider the vote, it prevailed.

Question then recurring on the motion by Mr. Farmer, that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments to House Bill No. 47, it was lost.

SENATE BILL NO. 13 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to exempt from taxation the property owned or used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting threefold religious, educational and physical development of boys and girls, young men and young women operating under a state or national organization of life character, and all endowment funds of such institutions, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 13 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Stinson moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 13 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Alexander	Beckworth
Alsup	Bell
Amos	Blankenship
Baker	Bond
Bates	Boyer

Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Brown	London
Burton	Lucas
Callan	Mann
Carssow	Mauritz
Cauthorn	McConnell
Celaya	McDonald
Cleveland	McFarland
Colquitt	McKee
Davis of Haskell	McKinney
Davisson	Metcalfe
of Eastland	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Dickison	Morris
Dollins	Morse
England	Newton
Farmer	Nicholson
Felty	Oliver
Fielden	Patterson of Mills
Fox	Patterson
Fuchs	of Travis
Gibson	Petsch
Graves	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reader
Harbin	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Dallas	Rhodes
Harris of Dickens	Riddle
Heflin	Roark
Herzik	Ross
Holland	Russell
Howard	Rutta
Huddleston	Schuenemann
Hull	Settle
Hyder	Sewell
Jackson	Sharpe
James	Simpson
Johnson of Ellis	Skaggs
Johnson	Smith of Hopkins
of Tarrant	Smith
Jones of Angelina	of Matagorda
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Falls	Stinson
Jones of Wise	Stocks
Keefe	Talbert
Keith	Tarwater
Kelt	Tennant
Kern	Tennyson
King	Thornberry
Knetsch	Thornton
Langdon	Waggoner
Lankford	Walker
Lanning	Weldon
Leath	Winfree
Leonard	Wood

Present—Not Voting

Boethel Worley

Absent

Bridgers Broadfoot

Cagle	Kenyon
Cathey	Loggins
Davis of Jasper	Mays
Davison of Fisher	Palmer
Dean	Shell
Harper	Stevenson
Harris of Archer	Vale
Hartzog	Westbrook
Hoskins	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 13 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Alexander	Harris of Dickens
Alsup	Heflin
Amos	Herzik
Bates	Holland
Beckworth	Hoskins
Bell	Howard
Blankenship	Huddleston
Boethel	Hull
Boyer	Hyder
Bradbury	Jackson
Bradford	James
Brown	Johnson of Ellis
Burton	Johnson
Callan	of Tarrant
Carssow	Jones of Angelina
Cauthorn	Jones of Atascosa
Celaya	Jones of Falls
Cleveland	Jones of Wise
Colquitt	Keefe
Davis of Haskell	Keith
Davis of Jasper	Kelt
Davison of Fisher	King
Davisson	Knetsch
of Eastland	Langdon
Deglandon	Lankford
Dickison	Lanning
Dollins	Leath
England	Leonard
Farmer	Leyendecker
Felty	Little
Fielden	Loggins
Fox	London
Fuchs	Lucas
Gibson	Mann
Graves	Mauritz
Hamilton	McConnell
Hankamer	McDonald
Hanna	McFarland
Harbin	McKee
Harper	McKinney
Harris of Dallas	Metcalfe

Monkhouse	Settle
Moffett	Sewell
Morris	Sharpe
Morse	Shell
Newton	Simpson
Nicholson	Smith of Hopkins
Patterson of Mills	Smith
Patterson	of Matagorda
of Travis	Smith of Tarrant
Petsch	Stevenson
Powell	Stinson
Prescott	Stocks
Quinn	Talbert
Reader	Tarwater
Reed of Bowie	Tennant
Reed of Dallas	Tennyson
Rhodes	Thornberry
Riddle	Thornton
Roark	Waggoner
Ross	Walker
Russell	Weldon
Rutta	Winfree
Schuenemann	Wood

Present—Not Voting

Bond	Worley
Hardin	

Absent

Baker	Kenyon
Bridgers	Kern
Broadfoot	Mays
Cagle	Oliver
Cathey	Palmer
Dean	Skaggs
Harris of Archer	Vale
Hartzog	Westbrook

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

SENATE BILL NO. 20 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 20, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that no person shall inherit or take any property either under the laws of descent and distribution or under a will or testament, who as the principal or as an accomplice wilfully brings about the death of the owner of such property, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Davison of Fisher offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 20, by adding after the word "wilfully" in line

1 the following: "and without justification or excuse."

Mr. Petsch offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Davison of Fisher:

Amend Senate Bill No. 20, page 1, line 26, by adding the words "and unlawfully" after the word "wilfully".

Question—Shall the substitute amendment be adopted?

AUTHORIZING CERTAIN CORRECTION IN HOUSE BILL NO. 1007

Mr. Davis of Jasper offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 103, Authorizing the Enrolling Clerk of the House to make certain correction in House Bill No. 1007.

Whereas, House Bill No. 1007 has passed the House and the Senate; and

Whereas, Said bill was amended in the Senate, but Section 1 was not amended to conform; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Enrolling Clerk of the House be instructed to amend Section 1 of said bill, by striking out the words "without any cost to owner" in line 8 of Section 1.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 600 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Tennyson called up from the Speakers' table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 600, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 350, Acts of Forty-fourth Legislature, being the Rural Aid appropriation, by providing additional appropriation for carrying out provisions of said Act, repealing all conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Tennyson moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a conference committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

COMMENDING THE FIRST VOTERS LEAGUE OF TEXAS

Mr. Davison of Fisher offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 102, Commending the First Voters League of Texas.

Whereas, There are in the State of Texas over 500,000 persons between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-five, inclusive, who are eligible to vote; and

Whereas, In the last General Election of November 3, 1936, which was a presidential election year, there were less than 100,000 persons in Texas between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-five, inclusive, who voted; and

Whereas, The principles of democracy demand that every person entitled to the privilege of suffrage exercise his franchise so that he may contribute to the growth and progress of democracy; and

Whereas, The young citizens of the State of Texas have created an organization known as the First Voters League of Texas for the purpose of stimulating interest in the privilege of the ballot and to increase the number of young persons between the ages of twenty-one to twenty-five, inclusive, who secure their exemption certificates and pay their poll taxes; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the Forty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, commend this organization for its worthy and necessary service to the cause of good government and lend its encouragement to its purpose; and, be it further

Resolved, That this resolution be printed in the Journal, and a copy be sent to the First Voters League of Texas.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

Mr. Davison of Fisher moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 1128.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Alexander
Alsop
Amos
Baker

Bates
Beckworth
Bell
Blankenship

Boethel
Bond
Boyer
Bradbury
Broadfoot
Brown
Burton
Callan
Carsow
Cathey
Cauthorn
Cleveland
Colquitt
Davis of Haskell
Davis of Jasper
Davison of Fisher
Davisson
of Eastland
Deglandon
Dickison
Dollins
England
Farmer
Fielden
Fox
Gibson
Hamilton
Hankamer
Hanna
Harbin
Hardin
Harper
Harris of Archer
Harris of Dallas
Harris of Dickens
Heflin
Holland
Hoskins
Howard
Huddleston
Jackson
James
Johnson of Ellis
Johnson
of Tarrant
Jones of Angelina
Jones of Atascosa
Jones of Wise
Keefe
Keith
Kelt
Kern
King
Knetsch
Langdon
Lankford
Lanning

Leath
Leyendecker
Little
Loggins
Lucas
Mann
Mauritz
McConnell
McDonald
McFarland
McKee
McKinney
Metcalf
Moffett
Monkhouse
Morris
Morse
Nicholson
Palmer
Patterson of Mills
Patterson
of Travis
Petsch
Powell
Prescott
Quinn
Reed of Bowie
Reed of Dallas
Rhodes
Riddle
Roark
Russell
Rutta
Settle
Sewell
Sharpe
Simpson
Skaggs
Smith of Hopkins
Smith
of Matagorda
Stinson
Stocks
Talbert
Tarwater
Tennant
Tennyson
Thornberry
Thornton
Waggoner
Walker
Weldon
Westbrook
Winfree
Wood
Worley

Absent

Bradford
Bridgers
Cagle
Celaya
Dean
Felty

Fuchs
Graves
Hartzog
Herzik
Hull
Hyder

Jones of Falls	Reader	Harris of Archer	Monkhouse
Kenyon	Ross	Harris of Dallas	Morris
Leonard	Schuenemann	Harris of Dickens	Morse
London	Shell	Heflin	Newton
Mays	Smith of Tarrant	Holland	Nicholson
Newton	Stevenson	Hoskins	Patterson of Mills
Oliver	Vale	Huddleston	Patterson

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Davison of Fisher:

H. B. No. 1128, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2922 A, Revised Civil Statutes as amended by Acts, 1925, Thirty-ninth Legislature, page 204, Chapter 59, as amended by Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, First Called Session, page 206, Chapter 78, by adding another section to be entitled Section 2922AA, providing for the consolidation of Rural High School Districts and Common School Districts upon an election being held in the respective districts; and providing for an election adjusting the bonded indebtedness, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Heflin moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 1129.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Alexander	Colquitt
Alsup	Davis of Haskell
Amos	Davis of Jasper
Baker	Davison of Fisher
Beckworth	Davisson
Bell	of Eastland
Blankenship	Deglandon
Boethel	Dollins
Bond	England
Boyer	Farmer
Bradbury	Fielden
Bradford	Fox
Bridgers	Gibson
Brown	Graves
Burton	Hamilton
Callan	Hankamer
Cathey	Hanna
Cauthorn	Harbin
Celaya	Hardin
Cleveland	Harper

Jones of Angelina	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Roark
Jones of Wise	Russell
Keefe	Rutta
Keith	Settle
Kelt	Sewell
Kern	Sharpe
King	Simpson
Knetsch	Skaggs
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lankford	Smith
Lanning	of Matagorda
Leath	Stinson
Leonard	Stocks
Leyendecker	Talbert
Little	Tarwater
Loggins	Tennant
London	Tennyson
Lucas	Thornberry
Mann	Thornton
Mauritz	Waggoner
McConnell	Walker
McDonald	Weldon
McFarland	Westbrook
McKee	Winfree
McKinney	Wood
Metcalf	Worley
Moffett	

Present—Not Voting

Broadfoot

Absent

Bates	Mays
Cagle	Oliver
Carssow	Palmer
Dean	Petsch
Dickison	Powell
Felty	Reader
Fuchs	Ross
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Herzik	Shell
Howard	Smith of Tarrant
Hyder	Stevenson
Jones of Falls	Vale
Kenyon	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Heflin:

H. B. No. 1129, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to Willie Wise permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and/or the Texas Relief Commission; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Lanning moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, House Bill No. 1130.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110

Alexander	James
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Amos	Johnson
Baker	of Tarrant
Bates	Jones of Angelina
Beckworth	Jones of Atascosa
Bell	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Keith
Boyer	Kelt
Bradbury	Kern
Bradford	King
Bridgers	Knetsch
Brown	Langdon
Burton	Lankford
Callan	Lanning
Cauthorn	Leath
Cleveland	Leonard
Colquitt	Leyendecker
Davis of Haskell	Little
Davis of Jasper	Loggins
Davison of Fisher	London
Deglandon	Lucas
Dollins	Mann
England	Mauritz
Farmer	McConnell
Fielden	McDonald
Fox	McFarland
Fuchs	McKee
Gibson	McKinney
Hamilton	Metcalf
Hankamer	Moffett
Hanna	Monkhouse
Harbin	Morris
Hardin	Morse
Harper	Newton
Harris of Archer	Nicholson
Harris of Dallas	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dickens	Patterson
Holland	of Travis
Hoskins	Prescott
Huddleston	Quinn
Jackson	Reed of Bowie

Reed of Dallas	Stinson
Rhodes	Stocks
Riddle	Talbert
Roark	Tarwater
Russell	Tennant
Rutta	Thornberry
Settle	Thornton
Sewell	Waggoner
Sharpe	Weldon
Simpson	Westbrook
Smith of Hopkins	Winfree
Smith	Wood
of Matagorda	Worley
Stevenson	

Nays—2

Tennyson	Walker
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Absent

Bond	Hull
Broadfoot	Hyder
Cagle	Jones of Falls
Carssow	Kenyon
Cathey	Mays
Celaya	Oliver
Davisson	Palmer
of Eastland	Petsch
Dean	Powell
Dickison	Reader
Felty	Ross
Graves	Schuenemann
Hartzog	Shell
Heflin	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith of Tarrant
Howard	Vale

Absent—Excused

Adkins	McCracken
Derden	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Lanning:

H. B. No. 1130, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 199, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, Sections 30 and 90, and Article 326P, Section 2, and Article 326K, Section 2, so as amended to transfer Young County from the Thirtieth to the Ninetieth Jurisdiction; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judicial Districts.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Quinn, Senate Bill No. 336 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Roark, House Bill No. 1120 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. London, House Bill No. 1122 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Leath, Senate Bill No. 485 was ordered not printed.

NOTICES GIVEN

Notices were given by authors of all bills, which bills were heretofore laid on the table subject to call, that motions would be made to take same up, for consideration, on the next Legislative Day.

RECESS

On motion of Mr. Worley, the House, at 5:25 o'clock p. m., took recess until 7:30 o'clock p. m., today.

NIGHT SESSION

The House met at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

(By unanimous consent)

Mr. Lucas was granted leave of absence for this evening, on account of illness, on motion of Mr. Weldon.

Mr. Knetsch was granted leave of absence for this evening and the balance of the week, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. McKee.

Mr. Herzik was granted leave of absence for this evening, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Rutta.

Mr. Roark was granted leave of absence for this evening, on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Jones of Wise.

HOUSE BILL NO. 108 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for the fraudulent taking of any cotton or cottonseed; making such an offense a felony; providing punishment therefor, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Fox offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 108, by changing the words and figures "ten (10)" in Section 1 to read "five (5)".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 108 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 260 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 260, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 5142A of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as adopted by the Forty-second Legislature, Acts, 1931, page 759, Chapter 302, paragraph 1, concerning the qualifications, duties, appointments, salaries, and removal of Probation Officers, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Cagle offered the following committee amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 260, by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. Amend Article 5142 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as adopted by the Fortieth Legislature, Acts 1927, page 335, Chapter 228, so as to read as follows:

"Article 3142 (Civil Statutes), Probation Officers, Qualifications, Duties, Appointments, Salaries and Removal.

"There shall be appointed in the manner hereinafter provided discreet persons of high moral character, with at least a high school education, or its equivalent, or two years experience in social work, provided that present Juvenile Officers having less than two years experience in social work shall not be disqualified therefor, to serve as Juvenile Officers for a period not to exceed two years from date of appointment or until his successor is appointed and qualified. In this Article the term Probation Officer is used synonymously with Juvenile Officer and as a basis for reckoning the scholastic census of any county, the preceding annual scholastic census as recorded in the office of the

State Department of Education shall be used.

Provided any School Attendance Officer, or officers, of any county, or of any school district, or districts, within the county, who meet the requirements for Juvenile Officers as specified in this Article, may be appointed as Juvenile Officers and the salary and expenses of such joint Juvenile Officer, or Officers, and Attendance Officer, or Officers may act jointly for the county and school authorities upon any basis of division of salary upon which they may agree.

Duties and Powers of Probation Officers

A Probation Officer shall investigate all cases referred to him for investigation by any court in which he is serving and, when required, shall report in writing thereon to the Judge of said court. He shall furnish to each person released on probation under his supervision a written statement of the conditions of probation and shall instruct him regarding the same. Such officer shall keep himself informed concerning the conduct and conditions of each probationer under his supervision by visiting and requiring reports, and shall report thereon orally or in writing as often as the court may require. Such Officer shall use all practicable and suitable methods not inconsistent with the conditions imposed by the court, to aid and encourage persons on probation and to bring about improvement in their conduct and environment. Such Officer shall keep detailed records of his work; shall keep accurate and complete accounts of all monies collected from persons under his supervision, and shall give receipts and keep duplicates therefor; shall perform such other duties as the court may direct; shall be present in court and to represent the interest of the juvenile when the case is heard, and to furnish the court any information and assistance as such court may require, and to take charge of any child before, during and after trial, and to perform such other services for the child as may be required by the court. Any Probation Officer with the approval of the court may act as Parole Officer over persons released from any correctional institution upon the request of the Parole authorities of this State. A Probation Officer shall have in the execution of his duties the power of arrest

and the same right to execute process as is now given, or that may hereafter be given, to any sheriff, constable or other peace-officer. The Clerk of the Court shall notify, when practicable, such Juvenile Officer when any juvenile is to be brought before the court.

Appointments—Salaries

In all counties having a scholastic census of 15,000 or fewer scholastics, according to the last preceding annual scholastic census, a Chief Juvenile Officer shall be appointed by the District Judges or Judge and the County Judge when, in their opinion, the services of such officer are needed. The Chief Juvenile Officer shall receive a compensation not to exceed \$200.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month. Said Chief Juvenile Officer may appoint with the consent of the Commissioners Court an Assistant to act as secretary and to do general probation work at a salary not to exceed \$125.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month, such salary and expenses to be set and approved by the Commissioners Court.

Provided that in any counties having a scholastic census of not less than 15,000 and not more than 30,000 scholastics, according to the last preceding annual scholastic census, a Chief Juvenile Officer shall be appointed by a committee composed of the County Judge and District Judges in such counties, a majority ruling, when, in their opinion, the services of such officer are needed, he shall receive a salary not to exceed \$250.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month, such salary and expenses to be set and approved by the Commissioners Court. Such Juvenile Officer shall appoint Assistant Juvenile Officers, one to each 5,000 scholastics, on the basis of such annual scholastic census, such appointments of Assistant Juvenile Officers to be approved by the committee appointing the Chief Juvenile Officer. The salaries of such Assistant Juvenile Officers shall be the same as that fixed by the General Law in Article 3902 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, or as said Article 3902 is or may be amended as to salaries for assistants to other county officials, each said Assistant Juvenile Officer shall be allowed expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month.

Provided that any counties having a scholastic census of not less than 30,000, and not more than 45,000 scholastics, according to the last preceding annual scholastic census, the County Juvenile Board shall appoint a Chief Juvenile Officer for a period not to exceed two years from date of appointment, or until his successor is appointed, and whose extra duties shall be to make investigation for Commissioners Court on application for admittance into detention homes or orphans homes created by the county, the salary of said Juvenile Officer shall not exceed \$300.00 per month, and his allowance for expenses shall not exceed \$25.00 per month, such salary and expenses to be fixed by the County Juvenile Board, subject to the approval of the Commissioners Court. Such Chief Juvenile Officer may select Assistant Juvenile Officers, subject to the approval of the County Juvenile Board, the number of such Assistant Juvenile Officers not to exceed one assistant to each 5,000 scholastics, or a major fraction thereof, on the basis of the last preceding annual scholastic census, such salaries shall be the same as that fixed by the General Law in Article 3902 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, or as said Article 3902 is or may be amended as to salaries for Assistants to other county officials, each said Assistant Juvenile Officer shall be allowed expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month.

Provided that in any counties having a scholastic census of not less than 45,000, and not more than 70,000 scholastics, on the basis of the last preceding annual scholastic census, the County Juvenile Board shall appoint a Chief Juvenile Officer for a period not to exceed two years from the date of his appointment, or until his successor is appointed. The extra duties over and above those heretofore mentioned in this Act shall be to make investigations for Commissioners Court on applications for admittance into detention homes or orphans homes, created by the county, and on other charity except direct relief. He shall make investigations for the District Courts into cases of child dependency, child desertion cases, and all other cases wherein parents have failed to support their children after having been ordered to do so by the District Court. It shall be the duty of such officer to make investigation

and make written reports of the same to the District Court upon the request of such courts in matters of adoption of minor children. The salary of such Chief Juvenile Officer shall not exceed \$350.00 per month and expenses not to exceed \$25.00 per month. Such Chief Juvenile Officer may select Assistant Juvenile Officers, one of whom shall be a licensed attorney at law in Texas, whose appointment shall be subject to the approval of the County Juvenile Board, and the number of such Assistant Juvenile Officers shall not exceed one Assistant to each 5,000 scholastic, or major fraction thereof, the last or preceding annual scholastic census shall be the basis of determining the number of such Assistants. The salaries of said Assistant Juvenile Officers shall be recommended by the Chief Juvenile Officer, but determined by the Juvenile Board, and finally approved and ordered paid by the Commissioners Court, provided that if this salary provision is in conflict with said Article 3902 Revised Civil Statutes 1925, or any amendment thereof, then the provisions of such Article 3902 and its amendments, if any, shall apply.

It shall be the duty of the Chief Juvenile Officer in appointing his Assistants, to set out in writing the qualifications and training of each, and state what particular duties he expects each to perform. Provided that all Juvenile Officers appointed hereunder may be removed by the authority appointing them for inefficiency or misconduct in office."

That all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict only.

If any article, section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Act.

Sec. 2. The fact that a recent court decision has nullified the Statute relating to the Probation Officer in certain counties of Texas and that this work is of vital importance to the lives of our young people, and which creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall be in full

force and effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Amend House Bill No. 260, by striking out all above the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An Act amending Article 5142 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as adopted by the Fortieth Legislature, Acts, 1927, page 335, Chapter 228, concerning the qualifications, duties, appointments, salaries and removal of Probation Officers, and declaring an emergency."

The amendments were severally adopted.

House Bill No. 260 was then passed to engrossment.

SENATE BILL NO. 336 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 336, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 16, Article 3902, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, as amended by Chapter 465, Acts of the Second Called Session, Forty-fourth Legislature."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 356 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 356, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4202 of Chapter 8 of Title 69, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, of the State of Texas regulating the sales of real estate by guardians."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

SENATE BILL NO. 473 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 473, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing, consenting to and granting permission to C. B. Fairchild to sue the State of Texas, and ratifying and confirming consent heretofore given, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 474 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 474, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing, consenting to and granting permission to J. W. Sessions to sue the State, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 543 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 543, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1986 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, so as to provide for the joinder of more than one plaintiff in one cause of action under the conditions set out in the terms of the Act, and providing for an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 645 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 645, A bill to be entitled "An Act to better safeguard the health of the people of the State of Texas by making it unlawful to serve food in improperly cleaned or unsterilized dishes or utensils; and providing rules for cleaning and sterilizing dishes or utensils; and prohibiting the use of cracked or broken dishes and utensils and unlaundered napkins and unprotected napkins, straws and other articles commonly used in eating and drinking; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 646 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 646, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that persons, firms or corporations, who operate or conduct hotels, cafes, restaurants, dining cars or other public eating places,

bakeries and meat markets in this State shall not work, employ or keep in their employ any person who is infected with or affected by any infectious or contagious disease; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 663 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 663, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the beginning of the terms of certain State and District offices of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 669 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 669, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Article 726a, Chapter 3 of the Penal Code, being page 52, Chapter 29, of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-third Legislature, Third Called Session, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 688 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 688, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it lawful for any member of a duly organized State, county or municipal peace unit of another State of the United States who enters into and continues within this State in close pursuit of a person in order to arrest him on ground that he has committed a felony in such other State, to have the same authority to arrest and hold in custody such person, as similar authorities of this State have under the same circumstances; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 196 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 196, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the registration of dogs and for a tax on same; prohibiting unregistered dogs from running at large; prohibiting dogs not muzzled from running at large during the night-time; providing conditions under which certain dogs may be killed; making it unlawful to own and keep a dog not registered; prescribing conditions under which poison may be put out for dogs; prescribing the rate of tax and for use and distribution of such fund; prescribing a penalty for violation of this Act; providing a method by which this Act may be made effective in counties; providing a saving clause in case any part of this Act be held invalid; repealing any and all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102

Alsup	Hardin
Amos	Harper
Baker	Harris of Archer
Bates	Harris of Dallas
Bell	Harris of Dickens
Blankenship	Holland
Boethel	Hoskins
Bond	Howard
Boyer	Huddleston
Bradbury	Hyder
Broadfoot	Johnson of Ellis
Brown	Johnson
Burton	of Tarrant
Cagle	Jones of Atascosa
Callan	Jones of Falls
Carssow	Jones of Wise
Cathey	Keefe
Cauthorn	Keith
Celaya	Kelt
Cleveland	Kenyon
Davis of Jasper	Lankford
Davisson	Lanning
of Eastland	Leath
Dean	Leonard
Dollins	Leyendecker
Fielden	Little
Fox	London
Fuchs	Mays
Gibson	McConnell
Graves	McDonald
Hamilton	McKee
Hankamer	Metcalfe
Hanna	Moffett
Harbin	Monkhouse

Morris	Sharpe
Morse	Shell
Newton	Simpson
Patterson of Mills	Smith of Tarrant
Patterson	Stinson
of Travis	Stocks
Petsch	Talbert
Powell	Tarwater
Prescott	Tennant
Quinn	Tennyson
Reed of Bowie	Thornberry
Reed of Dallas	Thornton
Rhodes	Vale
Ross	Walker
Russell	Weldon
Rutta	Winfree
Schuenemann	Wood
Settle	Worley
Sewell	

Nays—9

Alexander	King
Beckworth	Mann
Deglandon	Oliver
Farmer	Skaggs
Kern	

Absent

Bradford	Loggins
Bridgers	Mauritz
Colquitt	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	McKinney
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
Dickison	Palmer
England	Reader
Felty	Riddle
Hartzog	Smith of Hopkins
Heflin	Smith
Hull	of Matagorda
Jackson	Stevenson
James	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	Westbrook
Langdon	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	Roark

HOUSE BILL NO. 392 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 392, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1436, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Alexander	Kelt
Alsup	Kern
Amos	King
Baker	Langdon
Bates	Lankford
Beckworth	Lanning
Bell	Leath
Blankenship	Leonard
Boethel	Leyendecker
Bond	Little
Boyer	Loggins
Bradbury	London
Bradford	Mann
Broadfoot	Mays
Brown	McDonald
Burton	McFarland
Cagle	McKee
Callan	Metcalfe
Carssow	Moffett
Cathey	Monkhouse
Cauthorn	Morris
Celaya	Morse
Cleveland	Newton
Colquitt	Oliver
Davis of Haskell	Patterson of Mills
Davis of Jasper	Patterson
Davison	of Travis
of Eastland	Petsch
Dean	Powell
Deglandon	Prescott
Dollins	Quinn
England	Reed of Bowie
Farmer	Reed of Dallas
Fielden	Rhodes
Fox	Roark
Fuchs	Russell
Gibson	Rutta
Graves	Schuenemann
Hamilton	Settle
Hankamer	Sewell
Hanna	Sharpe
Harbin	Shell
Hardin	Simpson
Harper	Skaggs
Harris of Archer	Smith of Hopkins
Harris of Dallas	Smith
Harris of Dickens	of Matagorda
Heflin	Smith of Tarrant
Holland	Stinson
Hoskins	Stocks
Howard	Talbert
Huddleston	Tarwater
Hyder	Tennant
James	Tennyson
Johnson of Ellis	Thornberry
Johnson	Thornton
of Tarrant	Vale
Jones of Angelina	Walker
Jones of Atascosa	Weldon
Jones of Falls	Winfree
Jones of Wise	Wood
Keefe	Worley
Keith	

Nays—1

Ross

Absent

Bridgers	McConnell
Davison of Fisher	McKinney
Dickison	Nicholson
Felty	Palmer
Hartzog	Reader
Hull	Riddle
Jackson	Stevenson
Kenyon	Waggoner
Mauritz	Westbrook

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 529 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 529, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that the governing boards of all institutions of collegiate rank supported in whole or in part by funds of the State of Texas shall exempt all citizens of Texas who are the children of men and women who died in active service during the World War or from disability incurred in the line of duty during said war from the payment of all dues, fees and charges whatsoever for tuition; providing that such citizens shall submit satisfactory evidence of his status, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

Mr. Thornberry moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 529 was passed.

The motion prevailed.

House Bill No. 529 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—120

Alexander	Bradbury
Alsup	Bradford
Amos	Bridgers
Baker	Broadfoot
Beckworth	Burton
Bell	Cagle
Blankenship	Callan
Boethel	Carssow
Bond	Cathey
Boyer	Cauthorn

Celaya	Mann
Cleveland	Mauritz
Colquitt	McConnell
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Davison of Fisher	McKee
Davisson	Metcalfe
of Eastland	Moffett
Dean	Monkhouse
Deglandon	Morris
Dollins	Morse
England	Newton
Farmer	Patterson of Mills
Fielden	Patterson
Fox	of Travis
Fuchs	Petsch
Gibson	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reader
Harbin	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Reed of Dallas
Harper	Rhodes
Harris of Archer	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Ross
Harris of Dickens	Russell
Heflin	Rutta
Holland	Schuenemann
Hoskins	Settle
Howard	Sewell
Huddleston	Sharpe
Hull	Shell
Hyder	Simpson
Jackson	Skaggs
James	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Ellis	Smith
Johnson	of Matagorda
of Tarrant	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Falls	Stevenson
Jones of Wise	Stinson
Keith	Stocks
Kelt	Talbert
Kern	Tarwater
King	Tennant
Langdon	Tennyson
Lankford	Thornberry
Lanning	Thornton
Leath	Vale
Leonard	Walker
Leyendecker	Weldon
Little	Winfree
Loggins	Wood
London	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Bates	Jones of Angelina
Brown	Jones of Atascosa
Davis of Haskell	Keefe
Dickison	Kenyon
Felty	Mays
Graves	McDonald
Hartzog	McKinney

Nicholson
Oliver
Palmer

Riddle
Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins
Derden
Harrell
Herzik
Knetsch

Lucas
McCracken
Pope
Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 650 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 650, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating and approving all acts of the governing bodies of cities and towns of the State of Texas in the issuance and sale of bonds; validating such bonds and the tax levies made for the payment of such bonds; providing the provisions hereof shall not apply to any such proceedings or obligations the validity of which has been contested in any pending suit or litigation, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Thornton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 650, by striking out the period at the end of Section 2 and inserting the following:

"or which may be attacked in any suit or pending litigation instituted within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this Act."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 650 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Alexander
Alsup
Amos
Bates
Beckworth
Bell
Boethel
Bond
Boyer
Bradbury
Bradford
Bridgers
Broadfoot
Brown
Burton

Cagle
Callan
Carssow
Cathey
Cauthorn
Celaya
Cleveland
Davis of Haskell
Davis of Jasper
Davison of Fisher
Davisson
of Eastland
Deglandon
Dollins
England

Farmer
Fielden
Fox
Fuchs
Gibson
Graves
Hamilton
Hankamer
Hanna
Harbin
Hardin
Harper
Harris of Archer
Harris of Dallas
Harris of Dickens
Heflin
Holland
Hoskins
Howard
Huddleston
Hyder
Jackson
James
Johnson of Ellis
Johnson
of Tarrant
Jones of Falls
Jones of Wise
Keefe
Keith
Kelt
Kenyon
Kern
King
Langdon
Lankford
Lanning
Leath
Leonard
Leyendecker
Little
London
Mann
Mauritz
Mays
McConnell
McDonald
McFarland

McKee
Metcalf
Moffett
Monkhouse
Morris
Morse
Newton
Patterson
of Travis
Petsch
Powell
Prescott
Quinn
Reader
Reed of Bowie
Reed of Dallas
Rhodes
Roark
Ross
Russell
Rutta
Schuenemann
Settle
Sewell
Sharpe
Shell
Simpson
Skaggs
Smith of Hopkins
Smith
of Matagorda
Smith of Tarrant
Stevenson
Stinson
Stocks
Talbert
Tarwater
Tennant
Tennyson
Thornberry
Thornton
Vale
Walker
Weldon
Westbrook
Winfree
Wood
Worley

Nays—1

Colquitt

Absent

Baker
Blankenship
Dean
Dickison
Felty
Hartzog
Hull
Jones of Angelina
Jones of Atascosa

Loggins
McKinney
Nicholson
Oliver
Palmer
Patterson of Mills
Riddle
Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins
Derden

Harrell
Herzik

Knetsch
Lucas
McCracken

Pope
Ragsdale

HOUSE BILL NO. 668 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 668, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the fund provided for the use and benefit of the Comptroller in the administration and enforcement of the provisions of the Act as provided for in Section 9 of House Bill 89, Chapter 353, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, for the use and benefit of the Comptroller in the administration of said Act from and after May 30, 1937, for the remainder of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1937, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Alexander	Graves
Alsup	Hamilton
Amos	Hankamer
Baker	Hanna
Bates	Harbin
Beckworth	Hardin
Bell	Harper
Blankenship	Harris of Archer
Boethel	Harris of Dallas
Bond	Harris of Dickens
Boyer	Heflin
Bradbury	Holland
Bradford	Hoskins
Broadfoot	Howard
Brown	Huddleston
Burton	Hyder
Cagle	Jackson
Callan	James
Carssow	Johnson of Ellis
Cathey	Johnson
Cauthorn	of Tarrant
Celaya	Jones of Atascosa
Cleveland	Jones of Falls
Colquitt	Jones of Wise
Davis of Haskell	Keefe
Davis of Jasper	Keith
Davison of Fisher	Kelt
Davisson	Kenyon
of Eastland	Kern
Dean	King
Deglandon	Langdon
Dollins	Lankford
Farmer	Lanning
Fielden	Leath
Fox	Leonard
Fuchs	Leyendecker
Gibson	Little

Loggins	Ross
London	Russell
Mann	Schuenemann
Mauritz	Settle
Mays	Sewell
McConnell	Sharpe
McDonald	Shell
McFarland	Simpson
McKee	Skaggs
McKinney	Smith of Hopkins
Metcalfe	Smith
Moffett	of Matagorda
Monkhouse	Smith of Tarrant
Morris	Stevenson
Morse	Stinson
Newton	Stocks
Patterson of Mills	Talbert
Patterson	Tarwater
of Travis	Tennant
Petsch	Tennyson
Powell	Thornberry
Prescott	Thornton
Quinn	Vale
Reader	Walker
Reed of Bowie	Weldon
Reed of Dallas	Winfree
Rhodes	Wood
Roark	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Bridgers	Nicholson
Dickison	Oliver
England	Palmer
Felty	Riddle
Hartzog	Rutta
Hull	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 637 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 637, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make the laws of Texas relating to the National Guard compatible with the Constitution and laws of the United States as required by Section 46 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, by amending the following Articles of the Civil Statutes of Texas as revised in the year 1925; Article 5780 so as to permit maintenance of all the troops allocated to

Texas under Federal Law, Article 5839 so as to make nomenclature conform to Federal Law, and Article 5858 so as to make offenses condemned by military law and courts-martial procedure conform to that of Federal Law and regulations; to repeal any and all laws in conflict herewith."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—123

Alexander	Hyder
Alsup	James
Amos	Johnson of Ellis
Baker	Johnson
Bates	of Tarrant
Beckworth	Jones of Atascosa
Bell	Jones of Falls
Blankenship	Jones of Wise
Boethel	Keefe
Bond	Keith
Boyer	Kelt
Bradbury	Kern
Bradford	King
Bridgers	Lankford
Broadfoot	Lanning
Brown	Leath
Burton	Leonard
Cagle	Leyendecker
Callan	Little
Carssow	Loggins
Cathey	London
Cauthorn	Mann
Celaya	Mauritz
Cleveland	Mays
Colquitt	McConnell
Davis of Haskell	McDonald
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Davisson	McKee
of Eastland	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Dollins	Morris
England	Morse
Farmer	Newton
Fielden	Oliver
Fox	Patterson of Mills
Fuchs	Patterson
Gibson	of Travis
Graves	Petsch
Hamilton	Powell
Hankamer	Prescott
Hanna	Quinn
Harbin	Reader
Hardin	Reed of Bowie
Harper	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Archer	Rhodes
Harris of Dallas	Roark
Harris of Dickens	Ross
Heflin	Russell
Hoskins	Rutta
Howard	Schuenemann
Huddleston	Sewell

Sharpe	Tennant
Shell	Tennyson
Simpson	Thornberry
Skaggs	Thornton
Smith of Hopkins	Vale
Smith	Walker
of Matagorda	Weldon
Smith of Tarrant	Westbrook
Stevenson	Winfree
Stinson	Wood
Stocks	Worley
Talbert	

Absent

Davison of Fisher	Langdon
Dickison	McKinney
Felty	Nicholson
Hartzog	Palmer
Holland	Riddle
Hull	Settle
Jackson	Tarwater
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner
Kenyon	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 711 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 711, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7005, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts, 1927, Fortieth Legislature, page 156, Chapter 105; Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, page 755, Chapter 299; Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, page 852, Chapter 360; Acts, 1933, Forty-third Legislature, page 14, Chapter 10; Acts, 1933, Forty-third Legislature, Special Law, page 59, Chapter 49; Acts, 1933, Forty-third Legislature, page 636, Chapter 213; and an Act amending Article 7008, Section 2, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, First Called Session, page 73, Chapter 33, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—124

Alexander	Bates
Alsup	Beckworth
Amos	Bell
Baker	Blankenship

Boethel	Lanning
Bond	Leath
Boyer	Leonard
Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Bridgers	Loggins
Broadfoot	London
Brown	Mann
Burton	Mauritz
Cagle	Mays
Callan	McConnell
Carssow	McDonald
Cathey	McFarland
Cauthorn	McKee
Celaya	Metcalfe
Cleveland	Moffett
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Davis of Jasper	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Newton
Davisson	Oliver
of Eastland	Patterson of Mills
Dean	Patterson
Deglandon	of Travis
Dollins	Petsch
England	Powell
Farmer	Prescott
Fielden	Quinn
Fox	Reader
Fuchs	Reed of Bowie
Gibson	Reed of Dallas
Graves	Rhodes
Hamilton	Roark
Hankamer	Russell
Hanna	Rutta
Harbin	Settle
Hardin	Sewell
Harper	Sharpe
Harris of Archer	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Skaggs
Harris of Dickens	Smith of Hopkins
Heflin	Smith
Hoskins	of Matagorda
Howard	Smith of Tarrant
Huddleston	Stevenson
Hyder	Stinson
Jackson	Stocks
James	Talbert
Johnson of Ellis	Tarwater
Johnson	Tennant
of Tarrant	Tennyson
Jones of Falls	Thornberry
Jones of Wise	Thornton
Keefe	Vale
Keith	Walker
Kelt	Weldon
Kern	Westbrook
King	Winfree
Langdon	Wood
Lankford	Worley

Absent

Dickison	Hartzog
Felty	Holland

Hull	Palmer
Jones of Angelina	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Ross
Kenyon	Schuenemann
McKinney	Shell
Nicholson	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 761 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 761, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 3 of an Act creating the Henderson Independent School District of Concho County, Texas, passed by the Legislature, and approved by the Governor, March 24, 1925; providing for the changing of the boundary lines so as to include into the Henderson Independent School District all of that certain tract of land owned by O. L. Boyles; as described in a deed to him and recorded in Book No. 28, page 592 of the Records of Deeds, of Concho County, Texas; and to amend Section 3, of said Act, so as to grant and provide for certain authority and certain duties for the Board of Trustees and other officers of said District as hereinafter set out in said Act creating said District, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—120

Alsup	Cathey
Amos	Cauthorn
Baker	Cleveland
Bates	Colquitt
Beckworth	Davis of Haskell
Bell	Davis of Jasper
Blankenship	Davison of Fisher
Boethel	Davisson
Bond	of Eastland
Boyer	Deglandon
Bradbury	Dollins
Bradford	England
Bridgers	Farmer
Broadfoot	Fielden
Brown	Fox
Burton	Fuchs
Cagle	Gibson
Callan	Hamilton
Carssow	Hankamer

Hanna	Newton
Harbin	Oliver
Hardin	Patterson of Mills
Harper	Patterson
Harris of Archer	of Travis
Harris of Dallas	Petsch
Harris of Dickens	Powell
Heflin	Prescott
Hoskins	Quinn
Howard	Reader
Huddleston	Reed of Bowie
Hyder	Reed of Dallas
Jackson	Rhodes
James	Roark
Johnson of Ellis	Ross
Johnson	Russell
of Tarrant	Rutta
Jones of Falls	Schuenemann
Jones of Wise	Settle
Keefe	Sewell
Kelt	Sharpe
Kern	Shell
King	Simpson
Langdon	Skaggs
Lankford	Smith of Hopkins
Lanning	Smith
Leath	of Matagorda
Leonard	Smith of Tarrant
Leyendecker	Stinson
Little	Stocks
Loggins	Talbert
London	Tarwater
Mann	Tennant
Mauritz	Tennyson
Mays	Thornberry
McConnell	Thornton
McDonald	Vale
McFarland	Walker
McKee	Weldon
Metcalfe	Westbrook
Monkhouse	Winfree
Morris	Wood
Morse	Worley

Nays—3

Dean	Stevenson
Moffett	

Absent

Alexander	Jones of Atascosa
Celaya	Keith
Dickson	Kenyon
Felty	McKinney
Graves	Nicholson
Hartzog	Palmer
Holland	Riddle
Hull	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 793 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 793, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person, firm, company or corporation to move, or cause to be moved any hog or hogs from any premises within twenty-one days following the injection of hog cholera virus without written permission from the Live Stock Sanitary Commission and prescribing a penalty therefor; making it unlawful for any person, firm, company or corporation to transport, draft or drive any hog upon a public thoroughfare, which is then sick of any contagious disease and which is out of any herd of hogs infected with any contagious disease, except with written permission of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission; . . . etc., providing that this law shall be cumulative of all other laws on the subject."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Jones of Falls offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 793, by adding a new section to be numbered Section 7, to read as follows:

"Section 7. The fact that hog cholera is easily spread and there is great need for regulations set forth in this Act creates an emergency and imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said Rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 793 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Alsup	Bradbury
Amos	Bradford
Bates	Bridgers
Beckworth	Broadfoot
Bell	Brown
Blankenship	Burton
Boethel	Cagle
Bond	Callan
Boyer	Carssow

Cauthorn	Mays
Celaya	McConnell
Cleveland	McDonald
Colquitt	McFarland
Davis of Haskell	McKee
Davis of Jasper	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Moffett
Davisson	Monkhouse
of Eastland	Morris
Deglandon	Morse
Dollins	Newton
England	Oliver
Farmer	Patterson of Mills
Fielden	Patterson
Fox	of Travis
Fuchs	Petsch
Gibson	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Harbin	Reed of Dallas
Hardin	Rhodes
Harper	Roark
Harris of Archer	Ross
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Heflin	Schuenemann
Hoskins	Settle
Howard	Sewell
Huddleston	Sharpe
Hull	Shell
Hyder	Simpson
Jackson	Skaggs
James	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Ellis	Smith
Johnson	of Matagorda
of Tarrant	Stevenson
Jones of Falls	Stinson
Jones of Wise	Stocks
Keefe	Talbert
Kelt	Tarwater
Kern	Tennant
King	Tennyson
Langdon	Thornberry
Lankford	Thornton
Lanning	Vale
Leath	Walker
Leyendecker	Weldon
Little	Westbrook
Loggins	Winfree
London	Wood
Mann	Worley
Mauritz	

Absent

Alexander	Keith
Baker	Kenyon
Cathey	Leonard
Dean	McKinney
Dickison	Nicholson
Felty	Palmer
Graves	Reader
Hartzog	Riddle
Holland	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 774 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 774, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending certain sections of Senate Bill No. 146 passed by the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature of the State of Texas, to-wit: Sections 5, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, and 23; providing for the Public Safety Commission to appoint a Director and an Assistant Director whose salaries shall be fixed by the Legislature; providing for the Director with the advice and consent of the Commission to appoint Chiefs of the several bureaus; providing for Texas Ranger captains, headquarters sergeant, and privates; providing that the Texas Highway Patrol Division shall consist of the Chief Patrol Officer, captains, sergeants, and privates as may be authorized by the Legislature, and such administrative and clerical help as determined by the Commission; providing for the Director with the advice and consent of the Commission, to name the Chief of the Bureau of Communications; . . . etc., and creating an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Alsup	Celaya
Amos	Cleveland
Baker	Colquitt
Bates	Davis of Jasper
Beckworth	Davison of Fisher
Bell	Davisson
Blankenship	of Eastland
Boethel	Deglandon
Bond	Dollins
Boyer	England
Bradbury	Farmer
Bradford	Fielden
Bridgers	Fox
Broadfoot	Fuchs
Burton	Gibson
Cagle	Hamilton
Callan	Hankamer
Carssow	Hanna
Cathey	Harbin
Cauthorn	Hardin

Harper	Patterson
Harris of Archer	of Travis
Harris of Dickens	Petsch
Heflin	Powell
Hoskins	Prescott
Howard	Quinn
Huddleston	Reed of Bowie
Hull	Reed of Dallas
Hyder	Rhodes
James	Roark
Johnson of Ellis	Ross
Jones of Wise	Russell
Keefe	Rutta
Kelt	Schuenemann
Kenyon	Settle
King	Sewell
Langdon	Sharpe
Lankford	Shell
Lanning	Simpson
Leath	Skaggs
Leonard	Smith of Hopkins
Leyendecker	Smith
Loggins	of Matagorda
London	Smith of Tarrant
Mann	Stinson
Mauritz	Stocks
Mays	Talbert
McConnell	Tennant
McDonald	Tennyson
McFarland	Thornberry
McKinney	Thornton
Metcalfe	Vale
Moffett	Walker
Monkhouse	Weldon
Morris	Westbrook
Morse	Winfree
Newton	Wood
Patterson of Mills	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Tarwater

Absent

Alexander	Jones of Atascosa
Brown	Jones of Falls
Davis of Haskell	Keith
Dean	Kern
Dickison	Little
Felty	McKee
Graves	Nicholson
Harris of Dallas	Oliver
Hartzog	Palmer
Holland	Reader
Jackson	Riddle
Johnson	Stevenson
of Tarrant	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 970 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 970, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 55, page 110, General Laws, Regular Session, Forty-third Legislature, 1933, being an Act creating the office of County Purchasing Agent in all counties in this State having a population of more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants and less than one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants, as shown by the latest United States Census, and containing two (2) cities of fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants or more, each, as shown by the latest United States Census; providing for the appointment of such agent, prescribing his duties, and fixing his compensation; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—120

Alsup	Hankamer
Amos	Hanna
Baker	Harbin
Bates	Hardin
Beckworth	Harper
Bell	Harris of Archer
Blankenship	Harris of Dallas
Boethel	Harris of Dickens
Bond	Heflin
Boyer	Holland
Bradford	Hoskins
Bridgers	Howard
Broadfoot	Huddleston
Burton	Hull
Cagle	Hyder
Callan	Jackson
Carsow	James
Cathey	Johnson of Ellis
Cauthorn	Johnson
Celaya	of Tarrant
Cleveland	Jones of Falls
Colquitt	Jones of Wise
Davis of Haskell	Keefe
Davis of Jasper	Keith
Davison of Fisher	Kelt
Davisson	Kenyon
of Eastland	Kern
Dean	King
Deglandon	Langdon
Dollins	Lankford
England	Lanning
Farmer	Leath
Fox	Leonard
Fuchs	Leyendecker
Gibson	Little
Hamilton	Loggins

London	Rutta
Mann	Schuenemann
Mauritz	Settle
Mays	Sharpe
McConnell	Shell
McDonald	Simpson
McFarland	Skaggs
McKee	Smith of Hopkins
Metcalf	Smith
Moffett	of Matagorda
Morris	Smith of Tarrant
Morse	Stinson
Newton	Stocks
Oliver	Talbert
Patterson of Mills	Tarwater
Patterson	Tennant
of Travis	Tennyson
Petsch	Thornberry
Powell	Thornton
Prescott	Vale
Reed of Bowie	Walker
Reed of Dallas	Weldon
Rhodes	Westbrook
Roark	Winfree
Ross	Wood
Russell	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Bradbury	Quinn
Fielden	

Absent

Alexander	Monkhouse
Brown	Nicholson
Dickison	Palmer
Felty	Reader
Graves	Riddle
Hartzog	Sewell
Jones of Angelina	Stevenson
Jones of Atascosa	Waggoner
McKinney	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 993 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 993, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the trial and commitment to State Hospitals for the insanity of persons found upon trial to have been insane at the time of the commission of the act, as well as at the time of the trial of such person; providing for the discharge of persons tried for crime if found to have been insane at the time of the commission of the offense and sane at

the time of the trial; providing for the commitment of such persons to a State Hospital for the insane if found to be sane at the time of the commission of the offense but insane at the time of the trial of such persons; providing for the trial of persons charged with crime who were sane at the time of the commission of the crime but insane upon the trial of their case, having been committed to a State Hospital for the insane and later found to have regained their sanity, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—115

Alsup	Jackson
Amos	James
Baker	Johnson of Ellis
Bates	Johnson
Beckworth	of Tarrant
Bell	Jones of Falls
Blankenship	Jones of Wise
Boethel	Keefe
Bond	Keith
Boyer	Kelt
Bradbury	Kenyon
Bradford	Kern
Bridgers	King
Broadfoot	Langdon
Burton	Lankford
Callan	Lanning
Carssow	Leath
Cathey	Leonard
Cauthorn	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Little
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Mann
Davis of Jasper	Mauritz
Davison	Mays
of Eastland	McConnell
Dean	McDonald
Deglandon	McKee
Dollins	Metcalf
Fielden	Moffett
Fox	Monkhouse
Fuchs	Morris
Gibson	Morse
Hamilton	Newton
Hankamer	Patterson of Mills
Hanna	Patterson
Harbin	of Travis
Hardin	Petsch
Harper	Powell
Harris of Archer	Prescott
Harris of Dallas	Quinn
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Bowie
Holland	Reed of Dallas
Howard	Rhodes
Huddleston	Roark
Hull	Ross
Hyder	Russell

Rutta	Talbert
Schuenemann	Tarwater
Settle	Tennant
Sewell	Tennyson
Sharpe	Thornberry
Shell	Thornton
Simpson	Vale
Skaggs	Walker
Smith of Hopkins	Weldon
Smith	Westbrook
of Matagorda	Winfree
Smith of Tarrant	Wood
Stinson	Worley
Stocks	

Present—Not Voting

Hoskins

Absent

Alexander	Jones of Angelina
Brown	Jones of Atascosa
Cagle	Loggins
Celaya	McFarland
Davison of Fisher	McKinney
Dickison	Nicholson
England	Oliver
Farmer	Palmer
Felty	Reader
Graves	Riddle
Hartzog	Stevenson
Heflin	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1002, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix salaries and compensation of County Commissioners in counties with a population of not less than 77,600 inhabitants nor more than 88,000 inhabitants according to the last Federal Census as same now exists or may hereafter exist, and/or having an assessed valuation of not less than \$40,000,001.00 nor more than \$50,000,000.00, according to the last approved tax rolls, as same now exists or may hereafter exist, and providing for the manner of payment of the salaries and the funds from which said salaries shall be paid; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Alexander	Kern
Alsup	King
Amos	Langdon
Baker	Lankford
Beckworth	Lanning
Bell	Leath
Blankenship	Leonard
Boethel	Leyendecker
Bond	Little
Boyer	Loggins
Bradbury	London
Bradford	Mann
Bridgers	Mauritz
Broadfoot	Mays
Burton	McConnell
Cagle	McDonald
Callan	McFarland
Carssow	McKee
Cauthorn	Metcalfe
Cleveland	Moffett
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Davis of Jasper	Morse
Davison	Newton
of Eastland	Patterson of Mills
Dean	Patterson
Deglandon	of Travis
Dollins	Petsch
England	Powell
Farmer	Prescott
Fielden	Reed of Bowie
Fox	Reed of Dallas
Fuchs	Rhodes
Gibson	Roark
Hamilton	Ross
Hankamer	Russell
Hanna	Rutta
Harbin	Schuenemann
Hardin	Settle
Harper	Sewell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dallas	Shell
Harris of Dickens	Simpson
Heflin	Skaggs
Holland	Smith of Hopkins
Hoskins	Smith
Howard	of Matagorda
Huddleston	Smith of Tarrant
Hull	Stinson
Hyder	Stocks
Jackson	Talbert
James	Tarwater
Johnson of Ellis	Tennant
Johnson	Tennyson
of Tarrant	Thornberry
Jones of Falls	Thornton
Jones of Wise	Walker
Keefe	Winfree
Keith	Wood
Kelt	Worley
Kenyon	

Nays—2

Stevenson Weldon

Present—Not Voting

Quinn

Westbrook

Absent

Bates	Jones of Atascosa
Brown	McKinney
Cathey	Nicholson
Celaya	Oliver
Davison of Fisher	Palmer
Dickison	Reader
Felty	Riddle
Graves	Vale
Hartzog	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1035, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that it shall be unlawful to kill quail in Wood County, Texas, except on certain days; providing the number of quail that may be killed in one day; providing penalty for violation of this Act; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1041, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating all elections and proceedings had in connection with the formation of Andrews Independent School District of Andrews County, Texas; establishing the boundaries of said Andrews Independent School District; providing for the Board of Trustees; providing that said District shall have and exercise all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred and imposed by the General Laws of this State upon the trustees of independent school districts, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—120

Alexander	Amos
Alsup	Baker

Beckworth
Bell
Blankenship
Boethel
Bond

Boyer
Bradbury
Bradford
Bridgers
Broadfoot
Burton
Cagle
Callan
Carssow
Cathey
Cauthorn
Celaya
Cleveland
Colquitt
Davis of Haskell
Davis of Jasper
Davisson
of Eastland

Dean
Deglandon
England
Farmer
Fox
Fuchs
Gibson
Hamilton
Hankamer
Hanna
Harbin
Hardin
Harper
Harris of Archer
Harris of Dallas
Harris of Dickens
Heflin
Holland
Hoskins
Howard
Huddleston
Hull
Hyder
Jackson
James
Johnson of Ellis
Johnson
of Tarrant
Jones of Falls
Jones of Wise
Keefe
Keith
Kelt
Kenyon
Kern
King
Langdon

Lankford
Lanning
Leath
Leonard
Leyendecker
Little
Loggins
London
Mann
Mauritz
Mays
McConnell
McDonald
McFarland
McKee
Metcalfe
Moffett
Monkhouse
Morris
Morse
Newton
Patterson of Mills
Patterson
of Travis
Petsch
Powell
Prescott
Quinn
Reed of Bowie
Reed of Dallas
Rhodes
Roark
Ross
Russell
Rutta
Schuenemann
Settle
Sewell
Sharpe
Shell
Simpson
Skaggs
Smith of Hopkins
Smith of Tarrant
Stevenson
Stinson
Stocks
Talbert
Tarwater
Tennant
Tennyson
Thornberry
Thornton
Walker
Weldon
Westbrook
Winfree
Wood
Worley

Absent

Bates	Dickison
Brown	Dollins
Davison of Fisher	Felty

Fielden	Palmer
Graves	Reader
Hartzog	Riddle
Jones of Angelina	Smith
Jones of Atascosa	of Matagorda
McKinney	Vale
Nicholson	Waggoner
Oliver	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1052, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 13 of Chapter 42, page 49, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature; amending said Section 13 of Chapter 42, with reference to salary to be paid the Judge of the County Court of Jefferson County at Law; repealing all laws, or parts of laws, in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Alexander	Gibson
Alsup	Hamilton
Baker	Hankamer
Bell	Hanna
Blankenship	Harbin
Boethel	Hardin
Bond	Harper
Boyer	Harris of Archer
Bridgers	Harris of Dallas
Broadfoot	Harris of Dickens
Burton	Heflin
Callan	Holland
Cathey	Hoskins
Cauthorn	Howard
Celaya	Huddleston
Cleveland	Hull
Colquitt	Hyder
Davis of Haskell	Jackson
Davis of Jasper	James
Davisson	Johnson of Ellis
of Eastland	Johnson
Dean	of Tarrant
Deglandon	Jones of Falls
England	Jones of Wise
Farmer	Keefe
Fielden	Keith
Fox	Kelt
Fuchs	Kenyon

Kern	Roark
Langdon	Ross
Lankford	Russell
Lanning	Rutta
Leath	Schuenemann
Leonard	Settle
Leyendecker	Sewell
Little	Sharpe
Loggins	Shell
London	Simpson
Mann	Skaggs
Mauritz	Smith of Hopkins
Mays	Smith
McDonald	of Matagorda
McFarland	Smith of Tarrant
McKee	Stinson
Metcalfe	Stocks
Moffett	Talbert
Monkhouse	Tarwater
Morris	Tennant
Morse	Tennyson
Patterson of Mills	Thornberry
Patterson	Thornton
of Travis	Walker
Petsch	Winfree
Powell	Wood
Prescott	Worley
Reed of Dallas	

Nays—3

Amos	Weldon
Reed of Bowie	

Present—Not Voting

Bradbury	Quinn
McConnell	Westbrook

Absent

Bates	Jones of Atascosa
Beckworth	King
Bradford	McKinney
Brown	Newton
Cagle	Nicholson
Carssow	Oliver
Davison of Fisher	Palmer
Dickison	Reader
Dollins	Rhodes
Felty	Riddle
Graves	Stevenson
Hartzog	Vale
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1064 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1064, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1164, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, by providing that the Board of Commissioners in any city or town containing less than 2,000 population according to the last preceding Federal Census may fix the salary of the mayor not to exceed \$600.00 per annum, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Alexander	James
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Amos	Johnson
Baker	of Tarrant
Beckworth	Jones of Falls
Bell	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Keith
Bond	Kelt
Boyer	Kenyon
Bradbury	Kern
Bridgers	King
Broadfoot	Langdon
Burton	Lankford
Cagle	Lanning
Caillan	Leath
Cauthorn	Leonard
Celaya	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Little
Colquitt	Loggins
Davis of Haskell	London
Davis of Jasper	Mann
Davison of Fisher	Mauritz
Davisson	Mays
of Eastland	McConnell
Deglandon	McFarland
Dollins	McKee
England	Metcalfe
Farmer	Moffett
Fielden	Monkhouse
Fox	Morris
Fuchs	Morse
Gibson	Newton
Hamilton	Patterson of Mills
Hankamer	Patterson
Hanna	of Travis
Harbin	Petsch
Hardin	Powell
Harper	Prescott
Harris of Archer	Quinn
Harris of Dallas	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Dallas
Heflin	Rhodes
Holland	Roark
Hoskins	Ross
Howard	Russell
Huddleston	Rutta
Hull	Schuenemann
Hyder	Settle
Jackson	Sewell

Sharpe	Tarwater
Shell	Tennant
Simpson	Tennyson
Smith of Hopkins	Thornberry
Smith	Thornton
of Matagorda	Walker
Smith of Tarrant	Weldon
Stevenson	Winfree
Stinson	Wood
Stocks	Worley
Talbert	

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Bates	Jones of Atascosa
Bradford	McDonald
Brown	McKinney
Carssow	Nicholson
Cathey	Oliver
Dean	Palmer
Dickison	Reader
Felty	Riddle
Graves	Skaggs
Hartzog	Vale
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1068, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2832 of Chapter 15, Title 49 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 127, Acts, Regular Session, Thirty-ninth Legislature, as amended by Chapter 27, Acts, First Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, and as amended by Chapter 133, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-third Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Alexander	Bond
Alsup	Boyer
Amos	Bradbury
Beckworth	Bridgers
Bell	Broadfoot
Blankenship	Burton
Boethel	Cagle

Callan	Little
Cathey	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Mann
Cleveland	Mauritz
Colquitt	Mays
Davis of Haskell	McConnell
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Davisson	McKee
of Eastland	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Dollins	Morris
England	Morse
Farmer	Newton
Fielden	Patterson
Fox	of Travis
Fuchs	Petsch
Gibson	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Harbin	Reed of Dallas
Hardin	Rhodes
Harper	Roark
Harris of Archer	Ross
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Heflin	Schuenemann
Holland	Settle
Hoskins	Sewell
Howard	Sharpe
Huddleston	Shell
Hull	Simpson
Hyder	Skaggs
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
James	Smith
Johnson of Ellis	of Matagorda
Johnson	Smith of Tarrant
of Tarrant	Stevenson
Jones of Falls	Stinson
Jones of Wise	Stocks
Keefe	Talbert
Keith	Tarwater
Kelt	Tennant
Kenyon	Tennyson
Kern	Thorntony
King	Thornton
Langdon	Vale
Lankford	Walker
Lanning	Weldon
Leath	Winfree
Leonard	Wood
Leyendecker	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Baker	Davison of Fisher
Bates	Dickson
Bradford	Felty
Brown	Graves
Carssow	Hartzog

Jones of Angelina	Palmer
Jones of Atascosa	Patterson of Mills
McDonald	Reader
McKinney	Riddle
Nicholson	Waggoner
Oliver	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1071, A bill to be entitled "An Act to be designated as Article 2350m providing for traveling expenses for members of the Commissioners' Court in certain counties in this State, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Alexander	Gibson
Alsup	Hamilton
Amos	Hankamer
Baker	Hanna
Beckworth	Harbin
Bell	Hardin
Blankenship	Harper
Boethel	Harris of Archer
Bond	Harris of Dallas
Boyer	Harris of Dickens
Bradbury	Heflin
Bradford	Holland
Bridgers	Hoskins
Broadfoot	Howard
Burton	Huddleston
Cagle	Hull
Callan	Hyder
Cathey	Jackson
Cauthorn	James
Celaya	Johnson of Ellis
Cleveland	Johnson
Colquitt	of Tarrant
Davis of Haskell	Jones of Falls
Davis of Jasper	Jones of Wise
Davison of Fisher	Keefe
Davisson	Keith
of Eastland	Kelt
Dean	Kenyon
Deglandon	Kern
Dollins	King
England	Langdon
Farmer	Lankford
Fielden	Lanning
Fox	Leath
Fuchs	Leonard

Leyendecker	Russell
Little	Rutta
Loggins	Schuenemann
London	Settle
Mann	Sewell
Mauritz	Sharpe
Mays	Shell
McConnell	Simpson
McFarland	Skaggs
McKee	Smith of Hopkins
Metcalfe	Smith
Moffett	of Matagorda
Monkhouse	Smith of Tarrant
Morris	Stevenson
Morse	Stinson
Newton	Stocks
Patterson of Mills	Talbert
Patterson	Tarwater
of Travis	Tennant
Petsch	Tennyson
Powell	Thornberry
Prescott	Thornton
Quinn	Vale
Reed of Bowie	Walker
Reed of Dallas	Weldon
Rhodes	Winfree
Roark	Wood
Ross	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Bates	McDonald
Brown	McKinney
Carssow	Nicholson
Dickison	Oliver
Felty	Palmer
Graves	Reader
Hartzog	Riddle
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1078, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 3943, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 230, Acts of the Fortieth Legislature, Regular Session as amended by Chapter 346, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, by providing that in counties containing a population

of not less than 42,100 nor more than 42,250 according to the last preceding Federal Census and having a valuation in excess of \$20,000,000.00, the Commissioners' Court may allow the County Treasurer to retain fees and commissions not exceeding \$3,600.00 per annum, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Celaya offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1078, by striking out in line 21, page 2 the words "not exceed" and insert in lieu thereof the word "be".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1078 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—121

Alexander	Hardin
Alsup	Harper
Amos	Harris of Archer
Baker	Harris of Dallas
Beckworth	Harris of Dickens
Bell	Heflin
Blankenship	Holland
Boethel	Hoskins
Bond	Howard
Boyer	Huddleston
Bradbury	Hull
Bridgers	Hyder
Broadfoot	Jackson
Burton	James
Cagle	Johnson of Ellis
Callan	Johnson
Carssow	of Tarrant
Cauthorn	Jones of Falls
Celaya	Jones of Wise
Cleveland	Keefe
Colquitt	Keith
Davis of Haskell	Kelt
Davis of Jasper	Kenyon
Davisson	Kern
of Eastland	King
Dean	Langdon
Deglandon	Lankford
Dollins	Lanning
England	Leath
Farmer	Leonard
Fielden	Leyendecker
Fox	Little
Fuchs	Loggins
Gibson	London
Hamilton	Mann
Hankamer	Mauritz
Hanna	Mays
Harbin	McConnell

McFarland	Sewell
McKee	Sharpe
Metcalfe	Shell
Moffett	Simpson
Monkhouse	Skaggs
Morris	Smith of Hopkins
Morse	Smith
Newton	of Matagorda
Patterson of Mills	Smith of Tarrant
Patterson	Stevenson
of Travis	Stinson
Petsch	Stocks
Powell	Talbert
Prescott	Tarwater
Quinn	Tennant
Reader	Tennyson
Reed of Bowie	Thornberry
Reed of Dallas	Thornton
Rhodes	Vale
Roark	Walker
Ross	Westbrook
Russell	Winfree
Rutta	Wood
Schuenemann	Worley
Settle	

Present—Not Voting

Weldon

Absent

Bates	Jones of Angelina
Bradford	Jones of Atascosa
Brown	McDonald
Cathey	McKinney
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
Dickison	Oliver
Felty	Palmer
Graves	Riddle
Hartzog	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1080, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 23, Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature; providing that it should be lawful to use one dog for the purpose of hunting, pursuing and taking of deer in Jefferson, and Orange Counties, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Alexander	Kenyon
Alsup	Kern
Amos	King
Baker	Langdon
Beckworth	Lankford
Bell	Lanning
Blankenship	Leath
Boethel	Leyendecker
Bond	Little
Boyer	Loggins
Bradbury	London
Bradford	Mann
Bridgers	Mauritz
Broadfoot	Mays
Burton	McConnell
Cagle	McFarland
Callan	McKee
Cathey	Metcalfe
Cauthorn	Moffett
Celaya	Monkhouse
Cleveland	Morris
Colquitt	Morse
Davis of Haskell	Newton
Davis of Jasper	Patterson
Davisson	of Travis
of Eastland	Powell
Dean	Prescott
Deglandon	Quinn
Dollins	Reed of Bowie
England	Reed of Dallas
Farmer	Rhodes
Fielden	Roark
Fox	Ross
Fuchs	Russell
Gibson	Rutta
Hamilton	Schuenemann
Hankamer	Settle
Hanna	Sharpe
Harbin	Shell
Hardin	Simpson
Harper	Skaggs
Harris of Archer	Smith of Hopkins
Harris of Dallas	Smith
Harris of Dickens	of Matagorda
Heflin	Smith of Tarrant
Holland	Stevenson
Hoskins	Stinson
Howard	Stocks
Huddleston	Talbert
Hull	Tarwater
Hyder	Tennant
Jackson	Tennyson
James	Thornberry
Johnson of Ellis	Thornton
Johnson	Vale
of Tarrant	Walker
Jones of Falls	Weldon
Jones of Wise	Winfree
Keefe	Wood
Keith	Worley
Kelt	

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent			
Bates	McDonald	Hankamer	Monkhouse
Brown	McKinney	Hanna	Morris
Carssow	Nicholson	Harbin	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Oliver	Hardin	Newton
Dickison	Palmer	Harper	Patterson
Felty	Patterson of Mills	Harris of Archer	of Travis
Graves	Petsch	Harris of Dallas	Powell
Hartzog	Reader	Harris of Dickens	Prescott
Jones of Angelina	Riddle	Heflin	Quinn
Jones of Atascosa	Sewell	Holland	Reader
Leonard	Waggoner	Hoskins	Reed of Bowie
		Howard	Reed of Dallas
		Huddleston	Rhodes
		Hull	Roark
		Hyder	Ross
		James	Russell
		Johnson of Ellis	Rutta
		Johnson	Schuenemann
		of Tarrant	Settle
		Jones of Falls	Sewell
		Jones of Wise	Sharpe
		Keefe	Shell
		Keith	Simpson
		Kelt	Skaggs
		Kenyon	Smith of Hopkins
		Kern	Smith
		King	of Matagorda
		Langdon	Smith of Tarrant
		Lankford	Stevenson
		Lanning	Stinson
		Leath	Stocks
		Leyendecker	Talbert
		Little	Tarwater
		Loggins	Tennant
		London	Tennyson
		Mann	Thornberry
		Mauritz	Thornton
		Mays	Vale
		McConnell	Walker
		McDonald	Weldon
		McFarland	Winfree
		McKee	Wood
		Metcalfe	Worley
		Moffett	
Absent—Excused		Absent	
Adkins	Lucas	Bates	Leonard
Derden	McCracken	Brown	McKinney
Harrell	Pope	Carssow	Nicholson
Herzik	Ragsdale	Davison of Fisher	Oliver
Knetsch		Dickison	Palmer
		Felty	Patterson of Mills
		Graves	Petsch
		Hartzog	Riddle
		Jackson	Waggoner
		Jones of Angelina	Westbrook
		Jones of Atascosa	
Absent—Excused		Absent—Excused	
Adkins	Lucas	Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken	Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope	Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale	Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch		Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1091, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the creation and organization of independent school districts, and validating the action of any County Board of Trustees with reference to the creation of school districts out of another independent school district, making this Act applicable to certain counties according to the last preceding Federal Census, and providing that no part of this Act shall affect any litigation now pending, and that only Acts passed by four-fifths majority of the County Board of Trustees shall be valid, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—119

Alexander	Cauthorn
Alsup	Celaya
Amos	Cleveland
Baker	Colquitt
Beckworth	Davis of Haskell
Bell	Davis of Jasper
Blankenship	Davison
Boethel	of Eastland
Bond	Dean
Boyer	Deglandon
Bradbury	Dollins
Bradford	England
Bridgers	Farmer
Broadfoot	Fielden
Burton	Fox
Cagle	Fuchs
Callan	Gibson
Cathey	Hamilton

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096 ON THIRD
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1096, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating County Wide Equalization School Districts in all counties containing a population of not less than 15,700 nor more than 32,500, according to the last preceding Federal Census and containing a valuation of more than \$75,000,000.00; providing for the vesting of the general management, supervision and control of the public schools and educational interests of such counties in the county board of school trustees; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Alexander	Heflin
Alsup	Holland
Amos	Hoskins
Baker	Howard
Beckworth	Huddleston
Bell	Hull
Blankenship	Hyder
Boethel	James
Bond	Johnson of Ellis
Boyer	Johnson
Bradbury	of Tarrant
Bradford	Jones of Falls
Bridgers	Jones of Wise
Burton	Keefe
Cagle	Keith
Callan	Kelt
Cathey	Kenyon
Celaya	Kern
Cleveland	King
Colquitt	Langdon
Davis of Haskell	Lankford
Davis of Jasper	Lanning
Davisson	Leath
of Eastland	Leonard
Deglandon	Leyendecker
Dollins	Loggins
England	London
Farmer	Mann
Fielden	Mays
Fox	McConnell
Fuchs	McDonald
Gibson	McFarland
Hamilton	McKee
Hankamer	Metcalfe
Hanna	Moffett
Harbin	Monkhouse
Hardin	Morris
Harper	Morse
Harris of Archer	Newton
Harris of Dallas	Patterson
Harris of Dickens	of Travis

Petsch	Smith of Hopkins
Powell	Smith
Prescott	of Matagorda
Quinn	Smith of Tarrant
Reader	Stinson
Reed of Bowie	Stocks
Reed of Dallas	Talbert
Rhodes	Tennant
Roark	Tennyson
Ross	Thornberry
Russell	Thornton
Rutta	Vale
Schuenemann	Weldon
Sewell	Westbrook
Sharpe	Winfree
Shell	Wood
Simpson	Worley
Skaggs	

Absent

Bates	Little
Broadfoot	Mauritz
Brown	McKinney
Carssow	Nicholson
Cauthorn	Oliver
Davison of Fisher	Palmer
Dean	Patterson of Mills
Dickison	Riddle
Felty	Settle
Graves	Stevenson
Hartzog	Tarwater
Jackson	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	Walker
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 113 ON THIRD
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for a local option election in counties having 10,000 or more cattle, sheep and goats rendered for taxation to determine whether or not the qualified voters of such county desires to authorize the levy, assessment and collection of an annual tax on cattle, sheep and goats; providing for the method of levying, assessing and collecting such annual tax; and further providing for the deposit of the monies collected from such annual tax in a special fund to be known as 'The Domestic Livestock Protective Fund'; providing authority and requiring the Commissioner's Court of such

county adopting the provisions of this Act to employ additional law enforcement officers, and fixing the compensation of such officers and the reports to be filed by them, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Cauthorn offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 113, Section 1, line 33, by striking out the words "two cents" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one cent".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 113 was then passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 389 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 389, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Title 14, Chapter 5 of the Revised Criminal Statutes of the State of Texas of 1925, as amended by Acts of the Regular Sessions of the Forty-first and Forty-second Legislatures of the State of Texas by adding the following new Article, numbered as follows: Article 1037b, to regulate the packing and marking of packages and containers; requiring the net quantity of contents of such packages and containers to be plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside of package or container; providing for certain variations in weight; prohibiting deceptive pack; defining certain terms; providing penalties for the enforcement of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 686 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 686, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and directing the Governor to enter into a compact on behalf of the State of Texas with any of the United States legally joining therein; declaring the source of authority to be an Act of the United States Congress; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 912 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 912, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7249, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, by adding a Section providing that when the State and County Tax Collector is tax collector for an independent school district that his official bond given to the County shall include moneys collected for such independent school district, and that the amount of money to be collected for the independent school district shall be considered in arriving at the amount of bond to be given by said tax collector; and providing that the independent school district shall pay its pro rata share of the premium for said bond, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Thornton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 912, by adding a new sentence at the end of Section 1 to read as follows:

"It is provided that a copy of this bond shall be filed with the State Department of Education."

THORNTON,
METCALFE.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 912 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—122

Alsup	Cauthorn
Amos	Celaya
Baker	Cleveland
Beckworth	Colquitt
Bell	Davis of Haskell
Blankenship	Davis of Jasper
Boethel	Davison
Bond	of Eastland
Boyer	Dean
Bradbury	Deglandon
Bradford	Dollins
Bridgers	England
Broadfoot	Farmer
Burton	Fielden
Cagle	Fox
Callan	Fuchs
Carsow	Gibson
Cathey	Hamilton

Hankamer	Morris
Hanna	Morse
Harbin	Newton
Hardin	Patterson of Mills
Harper	Patterson
Harris of Archer	of Travis
Harris of Dallas	Petsch
Harris of Dickens	Powell
Heflin	Prescott
Holland	Quinn
Hoskins	Reader
Howard	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Reed of Dallas
Hull	Rhodes
Hyder	Roark
Jackson	Ross
James	Russell
Johnson of Ellis	Rutta
Johnson	Schuenemann
of Tarrant	Settle
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Keefe	Shell
Keith	Simpson
Kelt	Skaggs
Kenyon	Smith of Hopkins
Kern	Smith
King	of Matagorda
Langdon	Smith of Tarrant
Lankford	Stevenson
Lanning	Stinson
Leath	Stocks
Leonard	Talbert
Leyendecker	Tarwater
Little	Tennant
Loggins	Tennyson
London	Thornberry
Mann	Thornton
Mauritz	Vale
McConnell	Walker
McFarland	Weldon
McKee	Westbrook
Metcalfe	Winfree
Moffett	Wood
Monkhouse	Worley

Absent

Alexander	Jones of Atascosa
Bates	Mays
Brown	McDonald
Davison of Fisher	McKinney
Dickson	Nicholson
Felty	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Hartzog	Riddle
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 1034, A bill to be entitled "An Act conferring authority on State Parks Board to acquire for use as a public park a tract of land situated on Padre Island, prescribing the terms and conditions under which such purchase can be made; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—106

Alexander	Johnson of Ellis
Alsup	Johnson
Amos	of Tarrant
Baker	Jones of Falls
Beckworth	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Keith
Bond	Kelt
Boyer	Kern
Bradbury	King
Bradford	Langdon
Bridgers	Lanning
Burton	Leath
Cagle	Leonard
Callan	Leyendecker
Carssow	Little
Cathey	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Mann
Cleveland	McFarland
Colquitt	McKee
Davis of Jasper	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Monkhouse
Davisson	Morris
of Eastland	Morse
Dollins	Newton
England	Patterson of Mills
Farmer	Patterson
Fielden	of Travis
Fox	Petsch
Fuchs	Powell
Gibson	Quinn
Hamilton	Reader
Hankamer	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Reed of Dallas
Harbin	Rhodes
Harris of Archer	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Heflin	Schuenemann
Holland	Settle
Hoskins	Sewell
Howard	Sharpe
Hull	Shell
Hyder	Simpson
Jackson	Skaggs
James	Smith of Hopkins

Smith of Tarrant	Thornton
Stevenson	Vale
Stinson	Walker
Talbert	Weldon
Tarwater	Winfree
Tennant	Wood
Tennyson	Worley
Thornberry	

Nays—8

Hardin	Moffett
Huddleston	Prescott
Lankford	Ross
Mauritz	Stocks

Present—Not Voting

Deglandon	Westbrook
McConnell	

Absent

Bates	Kenyon
Bell	Mays
Broadfoot	McDonald
Brown	McKinney
Davis of Haskell	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
Dickison	Palmer
Felty	Ragsdale
Graves	Riddle
Harper	Smith
Hartzog	of Matagorda
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Knetsch
Derden	Lucas
Harrell	McCracken
Herzik	Pope

Mr. Colquitt moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

The motion was lost.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 48 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. J. R. No. 48, Proposing an amendment to Section 24, of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that Members of the Legislature shall receive a salary of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars per annum, shall be subject to call at any time and shall be entitled to mileage at five cents (5c) a mile for each mile traveled coming and going from the seat of Government; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation

therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof and prescribing the form of ballot.

The resolution was read second time, and was passed to engrossment by the following vote:

Yeas—72

Amos	Leath
Baker	Leonard
Beckworth	Leyendecker
Boyer	Little
Broadfoot	Loggins
Burton	Mauritz
Cagle	McKee
Callan	Monkhouse
Celaya	Morse
Cleveland	Patterson of Mills
Davison of Fisher	Patterson
Davisson	of Travis
of Eastland	Powell
Dean	Prescott
Deglandon	Reader
Dollins	Reed of Dallas
England	Rhodes
Fielden	Roark
Fox	Rutta
Gibson	Schuenemann
Hamilton	Settle
Hankamer	Sewell
Hanna	Sharpe
Harper	Shell
Harris of Dallas	Simpson
Harris of Dickens	Skaggs
Heflin	Smith of Tarrant
Holland	Stinson
Hull	Stocks
Jackson	Talbert
James	Tennant
Johnson of Ellis	Thornton
Johnson	Vale
of Tarrant	Walker
Jones of Falls	Westbrook
Keefe	Winfree
Keith	Wood
Kenyon	

Nays—38

Alexander	Jones of Wise
Alsup	Kelt
Blankenship	Kern
Boethel	King
Bond	Langdon
Bradbury	Lankford
Bradford	Lanning
Bridgers	London
Cathey	McConnell
Cauthorn	McFarland
Farmer	Metcalfe
Fuchs	Moffett
Hardin	Petsch
Harris of Archer	Quinn
Hoskins	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Ross

Russell	Tennyson
Stevenson	Thornberry
Tarwater	Weldon

Present—Not Voting

Smith
of Matagorda

Absent

Bates	Jones of Atascosa
Bell	Mann
Brown	Mays
Carssow	McDonald
Colquitt	McKinney
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Davis of Jasper	Newton
Dickison	Nicholson
Felty	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Harbin	Riddle
Hartzog	Smith of Hopkins
Howard	Waggoner
Hyder	Worley
Jones of Angelina	

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 651 ON SECOND
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 651, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6205, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 262, Acts, Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, 1931, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

ADDITIONAL SIGNER OF HOUSE
BILL NO. 1034

By unanimous consent of the House, the following Member was authorized to sign bill, as co-author of same, as follows:

Mr. Leonard, House Bill No. 1034.

HOUSE BILL NO. 689 ON SECOND
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 689, A bill to be entitled

"An Act providing the summoning of witness in this State to testify in another State; defining certain terms and words; declaring the manner in which judge of out-of-state court may make certificate to judge of court in this State for the procurement of witness; providing the circumstances under which witnesses may go; . . . etc., providing the effective date."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Davison of Fisher offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 689, by changing the words and figures "ten (10) cents" in Sections 2 and 3 to "four (4) cents", and by changing the words and figures "Five (\$5.00) Dollars" to "Two (\$2.00) Dollars" in Sections 2 and 3.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 689 was then passed to engrossment.

SENATE BILL NO. 485 ON
SECOND READING

Mr. Leath moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 485 be placed on its second reading and passage to third reading, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—114

Alexander	Colquitt
Alsup	Davis of Jasper
Amos	Davison of Fisher
Baker	Davisson
Beckworth	of Eastland
Bell	Dean
Blankenship	Deglandon
Boethel	Dollins
Bond	England
Boyer	Farmer
Bradbury	Fielden
Bradford	Fuchs
Bridgers	Gibson
Broadfoot	Hamilton
Burton	Hankamer
Cagle	Hanna
Callan	Harbin
Carssow	Hardin
Cathey	Harper
Cauthorn	Harris of Archer
Celaya	Harris of Dallas
Cleveland	Harris of Dickens

Holland	Patterson
Hoskins	of Travis
Howard	Petsch
Huddleston	Powell
Hull	Prescott
Hyder	Quinn
Jackson	Reader
James	Reed of Bowie
Johnson of Ellis	Reed of Dallas
Johnson	Rhodes
of Tarrant	Roark
Jones of Wise	Ross
Kelt	Russell
Kenyon	Rutta
Kern	Settle
King	Sewell
Langdon	Sharpe
Lankford	Simpson
Lanning	Skaggs
Leath	Smith
Leonard	of Matagorda
Leyendecker	Smith of Tarrant
Little	Stevenson
Loggins	Stinson
London	Stocks
Mann	Talbert
Mauritz	Tarwater
McConnell	Tennant
McFarland	Tennyson
McKee	Thornberry
Metcalfe	Thornton
Moffett	Vale
Monkhouse	Walker
Morris	Weldon
Morse	Winfree
Newton	Wood
Patterson of Mills	Worley

Absent

Bates	Keith
Brown	Mays
Davis of Haskell	McDonald
Dickison	McKinney
Felty	Nicholson
Fox	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Hartzog	Riddle
Heflin	Schuenemann
Jones of Angelina	Shell
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Falls	Waggoner
Keefe	Westbrook

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 485, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 4, Senate Bill No. 28, Chapter 2, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, so as to extend the time of existence of the Special District Court of Rusk County, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 485 ON
THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid Senate Bill No. 485 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—114

Alexander	Harris of Dallas
Alsup	Harris of Dickens
Amos	Holland
Baker	Hoskins
Beckworth	Howard
Bell	Huddleston
Blankenship	Hull
Boethel	Hyder
Bond	Jackson
Boyer	James
Bradbury	Johnson of Ellis
Bradford	Johnson
Bridgers	of Tarrant
Broadfoot	Jones of Wise
Burton	Kelt
Cagle	Kenyon
Callan	Kern
Carssow	King
Cathey	Langdon
Cauthorn	Lankford
Celaya	Lanning
Cleveland	Leath
Colquitt	Leonard
Davis of Haskell	Leyendecker
Davis of Jasper	Little
Davison of Fisher	Loggins
Davisson	London
of Eastland	Mann
Dean	Mauritz
Deglandon	McConnell
Dollins	McFarland
England	McKee
Farmer	Metcalfe
Fielden	Moffett
Fuchs	Monkhouse
Gibson	Morris
Hamilton	Morse
Hankamer	Newton
Hanna	Patterson of Mills
Harbin	Patterson
Hardin	of Travis
Harper	Petsch
Harris of Archer	Powell

Prescott	Smith of Tarrant
Quinn	Stevenson
Reader	Stinson
Reed of Bowie	Stocks
Reed of Dallas	Talbert
Rhodes	Tarwater
Roark	Tennant
Ross	Tennyson
Russell	Thornberry
Rutta	Thornton
Settle	Vale
Sewell	Walker
Sharpe	Weldon
Skaggs	Winfree
Smith	Wood
of Matagorda	Worley

Absent

Bates	Mays
Brown	McDonald
Dickison	McKinney
Felty	Nicholson
Fox	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Hartzog	Riddle
Heflin	Schuenemann
Jones of Angelina	Shell
Jones of Atascosa	Simpson
Jones of Falls	Smith of Hopkins
Keefe	Waggoner
Keith	Westbrook

Absent—Excused

Adkins	Lucas
Derden	McCracken
Harrell	Pope
Herzik	Ragsdale
Knetsch	

HOUSE BILL NO. 705 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 705, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the jurisdiction of the County Court of Crosby County, conferring upon said Court civil and criminal jurisdiction and increasing the criminal and civil jurisdiction of said Court; conforming the jurisdiction of the District and Justice Courts of said County to such change; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Davison of Fisher offered the following committee amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 705, by striking out all below the enacting clause

and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section I. That the county court of Crosbyton and Fisher Counties shall have and exercise original concurrent jurisdiction with the justices courts in all civil matters which by the general laws of this State is conferred upon justices courts.

Section II. Said county court shall also have and exercise such jurisdiction over and pertaining to all matters and things and proceedings as by the general laws of this State is conferred upon county courts.

Section III. No appeal or writ of error shall be taken to the court of Civil Appeals from any final judgment of said county court in civil cases of which said court has appellate or original concurrent jurisdiction with the justices court where the judgment or amount in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars exclusive of interests and costs.

Section IV. This Act shall not be construed to deprive the justices court of the jurisdiction now conferred upon them by law, but only to give concurrent original jurisdiction to the said court over such matters as are specified in Section I of this Act, nor shall this Act be construed to deny the right of appeal from the justices courts to the said county court in any case originally brought in the justices court where the right of appeal now exists by law.

Section V. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Section VI. The near approach of the close of the present session of the Legislature, the crowded condition of the calendar, and the fact that no statute now exists granting such relief to the citizens of Crosbyton and Fisher Counties as is sought in this bill, create an imperative public necessity, demanding the suspension of the Constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read three several days, and said rule is so suspended; and the fact that no law now exists upon this subject, creates an emergency, requiring that this Act take effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted."

Amend House Bill No. 705, by striking out all above the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"An Act to increase the civil jurisdiction of the county court of Crosbyton and Fisher Counties, and declaring an emergency."

The amendments were severally adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 705 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 727 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 727, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1055 of the Code of Criminal Procedure of Texas relating to the fees paid constables, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 842 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 842, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 6890 and 6898 of the Revised Statutes of Texas, so as to require every person having cattle, hogs, sheep, or goats to brand or ear-mark the same and to register such brand or ear-mark with the County Clerk of the county where such cattle, hogs, sheep or goats shall be and in certain other counties, on or before January 1, 1938, and every five years thereafter, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 881 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 881, A bill to be entitled "An Act adding a new Article to the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to be known as Article 6954-a, providing a method for holding elections to determine whether turkeys shall be permitted to run at large in political subdivisions of Guadalupe, Hardeman, Gonzales, Wise and Eastland Counties;

providing that if the freeholders of any such political subdivisions determine, at an election called for the purpose, to prevent turkeys from running at large in such Counties, the provisions of Articles 6957 to 6971, inclusive, shall be applicable thereto, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. London offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 881, by adding the word "Montague" after the word "Eastland" wherever it appears in the bill.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Davisson of Eastland offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 881, in Sections 1 and 2, by striking out the words "Guadalupe", "Hardeman", "Gonzales" and "Wise" wherever they appear.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 881 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 937 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 937, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that if any person shall enclose or shall remove the fence from the enclosure or any part thereof of any cemetery or burial ground with the purpose or intent to use such cemetery or burial ground for any other use or purpose he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction therefor shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail or by both such fine and imprisonment, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1011, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the maximum rate of

tax to be levied for school purposes in all independent school districts which include within their limits a city or town which according to the latest Federal Census had a population of not fewer than seven thousand and eighty (7,080) and not more than seven thousand two hundred and fifty (7,250) inhabitants, whether organized under General or Special Law; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, both General and Special, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Patterson of Mills offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1011, by striking out in Subsection (1) and Subsection (3) of Section 1 the words and figures "One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50)" wherever they occur and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "One Dollar and Twenty-five Cents (\$1.25)".

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Tennyson offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1011, by adding at the end of Subsection (4) of Section 1 the following language:

"No election shall be had on the question of fixing the tax rate in any such independent school district until the Board of Trustees of the district shall have been petitioned to call such election by not less than twenty per cent (20%) of the qualified tax paying voters of such district. The Board of Trustees of any such independent school district shall cause to be advertised any proposed election in a newspaper of general circulation throughout the said district once each week for a period of not less than four (4) consecutive weeks prior to the holding of such election."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1011 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1016 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1016, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 6 of Arti-

cle 46A of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1016, page one, by adding thereto, between lines 38 and 39, a new section to be known as Section 2, which said new Section 2 shall read, as follows:

"Section 2. That Article 46b of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended by Senate Bill No. 19, Chapter 39, Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Second Called Session, be, and the same is hereby amended so as to hereafter read, as follows:

'Article 46b. Validation of Adoption.—That all adoption papers which were signed by an adopting parent or parents, or natural parent or parents of a child, prior to January 1, A. D., 1919, and under the terms of which any child was attempted to be adopted, and all attempts made in good faith to effect an adoption of any child subsequent to January 1, A. D., 1919, and which failed of valid consummation through irregularities in the compliance with the then existing laws of this State, be and the same are hereby validated and made of binding force and effect, although said adoption papers were not properly signed and executed or authenticated or acknowledged as required for deeds, and were not, prior to the death of the adopting parent or parents, or prior to the death or disappearance of the natural parent or parents, filed for record with the County Clerk of the adopting parent or parents' residence.'"

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rutta offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1016, by striking out lines 25 and 26, page 1 of the printed bill, and substitute therefor the following:

"in such cases adoption shall be permitted on the written consent of the Judge of the Juvenile Court of the county of such child's residence, or if there be no Juvenile Court, then on the written consent of the Judge of the County Court of the county of such child's residence."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Brown offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1016, by striking out the word "fine" in line 18, page one, after the words "for a period of" and substituting in lieu therefor the word "two".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1016 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1037 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1037, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate all consolidations or attempts at consolidation of a common school district or districts with a contiguous independent school district created by General or Special Law, after elections held under Article 2806, Title 49, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and amendments thereto, after a majority of the voters in each of said districts voted in favor of such consolidation . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Patterson of Mills offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1037, by adding a new section at the end of Section 1 to be known as Section 2, and by re-numbering subsequent Sections accordingly, said new Section 2 to read as follows:

"Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall not apply to any such consolidations or attempts at consolidation or to any of the proceedings incident thereto where the validity thereof has been contested or attacked in any pending suit or litigation or in any such suit or litigation which may be filed or instituted within forty-five (45) days after the effective date of this Act."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1037, by striking out all of Section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall be cumulative of all laws

on the subject of this Act not in conflict herewith, and, where not otherwise provided herein, such laws shall apply; but, in case of conflict, the provisions of this Act shall control and be effective."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1037 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1049, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2687, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, prescribing the time of meeting of the County Board of School Trustees: (a) in counties containing a population of not less than forty-eight thousand, five hundred and sixty (48,560) and not more than forty-eight thousand, six hundred and sixty-five (48,665) population, (b) in counties containing a population of not less than thirty thousand, and twenty (30,020) and not more than thirty thousand, one hundred and twenty-five (30,125) population, (c) in counties containing a population of not less than ten thousand, three hundred and seventy (10,370) and not more than ten thousand, four hundred and seventy-five (10,475) population, according to the last preceding Federal Census; providing for their compensation; providing the fund from which same shall be paid; providing this Act shall be cumulative of all existing laws on this subject but this Act shall apply where in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Harper offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1049, Section 1, page 1, line two, by changing the word "enacted" to "amended".

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Powell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1049, Section 1, by adding another Subsection to be designated "(d)" and read, as follows:

"In counties having a population of not less than 14,580 and not over 14,590, according to the last preceding United States Census."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1049 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1065 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1065, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 12, Senate Bill No. 248, Chapter 95, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature so as to extend the time of existence of the special Ninth District Court of Montgomery, Polk, and San Jacinto Counties, Texas."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1070 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1070, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring it unlawful to take, hunt, trap, shoot or kill any wild pheasant in Smith County, Texas, for a period of three years; prescribing penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1073 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1073, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 5135, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1074 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1074, A bill to be entitled "An Act to change and prescribe the time for holding district court of the Ninth Judicial District of the State of Texas; and to conform all writs and processes of such court to such changes, and make all writs and processes issued or served before this Act takes effect, including recognizances and bonds, returnable to the terms of court in the several counties in said District, as herein fixed, and to validate the summoning of grand and petit jurors, and juries; and providing for the continuation of court in session in said District when this Act takes effect, to the end of its term; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Powell offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1074, by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. The Ninth (9th) Judicial District of the State of Texas shall be composed of the Counties of Polk, San Jacinto, Waller and Montgomery and, from and after the effective date of this Act to the thirty-first day of December, A. D., 1938, the terms of the District Court in and for the several counties constituting said 9th Judicial District shall be begun and holden therein as follows:

In the County of Polk on the first Monday in January and July of each year and may remain in session four (4) weeks.

In the County of San Jacinto on the eleventh Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session three (3) weeks.

In the County of Waller on the fourteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July of each year and may remain in session four (4) weeks.

In the County of Montgomery on the eighteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks; and, on the fourth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session seven (7) weeks.

From and after the thirty-first day of December, A. D., 1938, the terms of the District Court in and for the sev-

eral counties constituting said 9th Judicial District shall be begun and holden therein as follows:

In the County of Polk on the first Monday in January and July of each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks.

In the County of San Jacinto on the eleventh Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session three (3) weeks.

In the County of Waller on the fourteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session four (4) weeks.

In the County of Montgomery on the eighteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks; and, on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session five (5) weeks.

"Section 2. That all processes and writs issued out of the district courts of said respective counties and returnable to the terms of court in said counties as fixed at the time of the issuance of same are hereby made returnable to the terms of the district courts of said respective counties as said terms are fixed by this Act, and all bonds executed and recognizances entered in said courts shall bind the parties for their appearance or to fulfill the obligations of such bonds and recognizances at the terms of said courts as they are fixed by this Act, and all processes heretofore returned or hereafter returned as well as all bonds and recognizances heretofore taken or hereafter taken in the district courts of said respective counties shall be as valid as though no change had been made in the time of holding courts therein, and all grand and petit jurors drawn and selected under existing laws for any of the counties of said district are hereby declared lawfully drawn and selected for the first term of the district courts of such respective counties held in conformity with this Act.

"Section 3. Should any district court of the Ninth Judicial District be in session in any of the counties of said District, under existing laws, when this Act takes effect, such courts shall continue and end its term under such existing laws as if no change in the time of holding courts in said district had been made, and all processes,

writs, judgments, decrees, and other proceedings in said court, during such time, shall be valid to all intents and purposes and shall not be affected by the changes in the times of holding court therein made by this Act, but after the period provided in the above contingency, the district courts of the respective counties herein mentioned shall be held in conformity with the terms as herein prescribed."

Section 4. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. The fact that in the Counties of Polk, San Jacinto and Waller there is not sufficient business in the District Courts therein to justify or require the length of terms of court now provided for by law in such counties, and the further fact that the Civil and Criminal Dockets of the District Court in Montgomery County is crowded and sufficient time for the holding of said Courts of said County is not now provided for by law to enable said Court to dispose of the business of said Court in said County creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity which requires that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three (3) several days in each House of the Legislature be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Mr. Powell offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1074, in Section 1, by striking out all of said Section after the word "follows" in line 32, page 3 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"In the County of Polk on the first Monday in January and July of each year and may remain in session three (3) weeks.

In the County of San Jacinto on the ninth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session three (3) weeks.

In the County of Waller on the twelfth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks.

In the County of Montgomery on

the eighteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks; and, on the third Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks.

From and after the thirty-first day of December, A. D., 1938, the terms of the District Court in and for the several counties constituting said Ninth Judicial District shall be begun and holden therein as follows:

In the County of Polk on the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks.

In the County of San Jacinto on the ninth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session three (3) weeks.

In the County of Waller on the twelfth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks.

In the County of Montgomery on the eighteenth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session six (6) weeks; and, on the sixth Monday after the first Monday in January and July each year and may remain in session (3) weeks."

The amendment to the committee amendment was adopted.

Mr. Powell offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

Amend committee amendment to House Bill No. 1074, Section 2, page 4, line 29, by inserting the word "into" between the words "entered" and "in".

The amendment to the committee amendment was adopted.

The committee amendment, as amended, was then adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1074 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1075, A bill to be entitled

"An Act amending Chapter 174, Special Laws of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Article 3883 (c), fixing the maximum fee to be retained by the County Clerk in counties containing a population of not less than 10,370 nor more than 10,475, according to the last preceding Federal Census, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1077, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person or persons to take fish from the waters of Caddo Lake of the Counties of Harrison and Marion by use of a trout line on which hooks are less than three feet apart; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1081, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful to trap, snare, shoot, catch or kill any wild fox in Bell County for a period of two (2) years, providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1085, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 36 of Article 7047 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Reed of Dallas offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1085, by adding after the word "track" in line 21, the following: "provided that in

no instance shall the tax exceed One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars."

Mr. Quinn moved to table the amendment.

The motion to table was lost.

The amendment was then adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1085 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1086 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1086, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 2 of Article 3833, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 20, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Fourth Called Session as amended by Chapter 340, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, as amended by Chapter 220, Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Regular Session, by providing that in counties containing not less than 29,500 nor more than 30,000 population according to the last preceding Federal Census the Justice of the Peace shall be allowed to retain out of the fees collected by such officer the sum of Twenty-four Hundred (\$2400.00) Dollars, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1087, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the maximum rate of tax to be levied for school purposes in all independent school districts which include within their limits a city or town which according to the latest Federal Census had a population of not fewer than ten thousand (10,000) and not more than fifteen thousand (15,000) inhabitants, whether organized under General or Special Law; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, both General and Special, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Bell offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1087, by striking out the figures "10,000" and "15,000" and substituting therefor the figures "13,700" and "13,800."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1087 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1092 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1092, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Articles 1961 and 1962, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas as enacted in 1925, so as to provide for the Regular Term of the County Court for Probate Business as opening on each Monday of each week during the year and repealing the authority of the Commissioners Court to establish terms of the probate court; repealing Article 1963, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas as enacted in 1925; and providing for the validation of all judgments rendered at other than regular terms of the Probate Court, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1093 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1093, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a special road law for Motley County, Texas, providing that said County may fund or refund the indebtedness outstanding against its road and bridge fund as of January 11, 1937, by the issuance of funding bonds, and setting forth the method of operation; providing that the general laws pertaining to roads and bridges shall be applicable to said County, when not in conflict with the provisions hereof; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1103, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 41, Special Laws of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, same being House Bill No. 641, by providing that there shall be a closed season on fishing in the waters of Medina Lake in Bandera County, Texas, during the months of February, March and April of each year, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1108 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1108, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2327, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 59, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Cleveland offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1108, by adding the letter "a" after the figures 2327 wherever the same appears so that the same shall thereafter read "2327a".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1108 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1111, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subsection 2 of Article 3902, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, First Called Session, Chapter 92; as

amended by Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Chapter 214; as amended by Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Chapter 220, paragraph 3; as amended by Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Second Called Session, Chapter 59, paragraph 2; as amended by Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Third Called Session, Chapter 63, paragraph 1; as amended by Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 282, paragraph 1; . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Johnson of Ellis offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1111, by striking out the whole of Section 1 thereof and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"That Subsection 2 of Article 3902, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, First Called Session, Chapter 92; as amended by Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, Chapter 59, paragraph 2, as amended by Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Third Called Session, Chapter 63, paragraph 1; as amended by Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 282, paragraph 1; as amended by Chapter 315, paragraph 2; Chapter 327, paragraph 2; as amended by Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Second Called Session, Chapter 465, paragraph 14, be, and the same is hereby amended so that it shall hereafter read as follows:

"Sec. 2. In counties having a population of twenty-five thousand and one (25,001) and not more than thirty-seven thousand five hundred (37,500) inhabitants, first assistant or chief deputy not to exceed Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars per annum; other assistants, deputies or clerks not to exceed Seventeen Hundred (\$1,700.00) Dollars per annum each. Provided, however, that in all counties containing a population of not less than 30,000 nor more than 37,500 according to the last preceding Federal Census and having a valuation in excess of \$85,000,000.00, and in all counties having an assessed valuation of not less than \$27,500,000.00 nor more than \$27,700,000.00 according to the last proved tax roll and containing a population of not less than 53,900 nor more than 54,000, according to the last preceding Federal Census, four

deputies in the Tax Collector and Assessor's office may receive not to exceed Twenty-four Hundred (\$2,400.00) Dollars per annum each, the remainder of the deputies in said office shall receive not exceeding Seventeen Hundred (\$1,700.00) Dollars per annum each."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1111 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1112, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the hunting, trapping, ensnaring or killing of any wild deer, buck, doe or fawn or wild quail within the confines of Commissioners' Precinct No. Three, Wharton County, Texas, for a period of five years; prescribing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Mauritz offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1112, by adding after the word "quail" wherever it appears the following: "or mourning dove".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1112 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1115, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate the organization and creation of all county line rural high school districts, created by General Law or by County Boards of Trustees; validating the acts of said County Boards of Trustees and Boards of Trustees of such districts; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1116, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any citizen of this State not a resident of McLennan County to catch or attempt to catch any fish from the waters of McLennan County without having first procured a fishing license; excepting those under seventeen (17) years of age; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1117, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any citizen of this State to hunt with a gun in McLennan County without first procuring a General Hunting License and providing certain exemptions; providing the fees for such licenses and the fee to be retained by the collecting officer; providing the disposition of funds collected under this Act; providing a penalty for any violation of this Act; declaring an emergency and the effective date of this Act."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

SENATE BILL NO. 158 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 158, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 535, R. C. S. Texas, 1925; providing shares transferable only on corporation's books; imposing a duty on officers to transfer; repealing Article 1344, R. C. S. of Texas, 1925; providing that this Act shall become the law and be effective only if, as, and when the Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 of the Forty-fifth Legislature shall have been adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Texas; providing a

savings clause; declaring the policy, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

HOUSE BILL NO. 411 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 411, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 2, Title 34, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, by adding thereto a new article to be known as Article 1676-B; defining certain words, terms and phrases for the purpose of this Act including 'political subdivisions'; providing that the governing body of any political subdivision of this State shall prepare or cause to be prepared semi-annually a report of all transactions during each half of each year, concerning the finances of such political subdivision; providing that the governing body of each political subdivision shall examine, correct and approve such reports and shall cause such reports to be published in a newspaper; providing the time and manner in which such reports shall be prepared, examined, corrected, approved and published and the subject matter of such reports; providing the manner in which newspapers shall be compensated for publishing such reports outlining duty of officers, officials and employees in preparation of such reports; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that if any portion of this law shall be held unconstitutional that the remainder of the law shall remain in full force and effect; and providing penalties for the violation or failure of any official, officer, or employee to comply with the provisions of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Morse offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 411, Section 1, paragraph 2, page 2, line 9, by striking out the "comma" (,) after the word "villages" and substituting in lieu thereof a "period" (.) and by striking out the balance of said paragraph two of Section 1.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 411 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 713 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 713, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide liens for services rendered by persons, firms, and corporations with whom articles of wearing apparel and garments have been placed to be repaired, altered, dyed, cleaned or pressed, or laundered and authorizing the sale thereof to pay charges for such services, and for the disposition of proceeds of such sales, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 999 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 999, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the incorporation of certain cities and towns of more than six hundred (600) and less than two thousand (2,000) inhabitants which have heretofore incorporated under the General Laws of Texas, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1120, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salary of County Commissioners in all counties having an assessed valuation of not less than \$16,000,000.00 nor more than \$17,000,000.00, and containing a population of not less than 19,000 nor more than 19,900 according to the last Federal Census; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1122 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1122, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1645, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 35, Acts of the Fortieth Legislature, First Called Session as amended by Chapter 28, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, First Called Session, as amended by Chapter 15, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session by adding thereto a new section to be known as Article 1645a providing for county auditors in counties containing a population of not less than 19,150 nor more than 19,175 according to the last preceding Federal Census; providing for their compensation and the fund from which it shall be paid, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1114, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful for any person to catch or take or attempt to take or catch catfish of less length than nine (9) inches in Burnet County; providing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1118, A bill to be entitled "An Act to fix the maximum rate of tax to be levied for the purpose of maintaining the public schools and issuing of bonds in common school districts having a taxable valuation of One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000.00) Dollars or less, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. McKee offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 1118, by inserting after the word "less" on line 17,

the following: "in counties having a population of 130,000 to 150,000 population and having therein two cities of more than 50,000 population each according to the last preceding Federal Census".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 1118 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 710 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage,

H. B. No. 710, A bill to be entitled "An Act designated as Article 307, Revised Civil Statutes, providing for exemption of bar examination applicants."

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 746 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 746, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit fraternities, sororities, and secret societies in the public schools of the State, to provide for the enforcement of same, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Boethel offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 746, Section 3, by adding at the end, "and other kindred educational organizations sponsored by the State or national educational authorities".

BOETHEL,
BROWN,
HYDER.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 746 was then passed to engrossment.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Blankenship, the House, at 11:30 o'clock p. m., ad-

journed until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Counties: House Bills Nos. 1120 and 1122; Senate Bill No. 336.

Judiciary: House Bills Nos. 287, 705, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314 and 315; Senate Bills Nos. 144 and 375.

Judicial Districts: Senate Bill No. 485.

Live Stock and Stock Raising: House Bill No. 904.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, April 22, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 33, Relative to the use of certain text books in public free schools.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

"H. J. R. No. 26, Proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adopting a new section to be known as Section 51c which shall provide that the Legislature shall have the power to provide, under such limitations and restrictions as may be deemed by the Legislature expedient for assistance to the blind and for aid to dependent children and for the payment of same not to exceed Fifteen Dollars per month each to actual bona fide citizens of Texas and providing that the requirements for the length of time of actual residence in Texas shall never be less than five years during the nine years immediately

preceding the application for such assistance to the blind and continuously for one year immediately preceding such application and providing that the Legislature may impose such requirements as may be found expedient in cases of aid to dependent children; and providing that the Legislature shall have the authority to accept from the Government of the United States financial aid for assistance to the blind and aid to dependent children; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof and prescribing the form of ballot."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

"H. J. R. No. 10, Proposing to amend the Constitution of Texas by adding a new section to be known as Section 30-b of Article XVI of the Constitution providing four (4) year terms of office for all Precinct, County and District offices, and providing that incumbents in office at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall hold for four year term instead of a two year term; amending Section 4 of Article III, providing for manner of election and apportionment of Members of the House of Representatives; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of said amendments and making an appropriation therefor."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1125, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the contingent expenses, and to pay the

mileage and per diem of members and the per diem of officers and employees of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Title 11, Chapter 6, Articles 647, 648, 649, 650 and 651 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, Revision of 1925, so as to prohibit the buying and selling of pools or bookmaking on any horse race outside of an enclosure duly licensed by the Racing Commission of Texas; making certain acts prima facie evidence of a violation thereof; prohibiting the use of any property outside of an enclosure duly licensed by the Racing Commission of Texas for selling pools or bookmaking on horse races and providing what constitutes prima facie evidence of a violation thereof; prohibiting the furnishing of means of communication to persons using property other than an enclosure duly licensed by the Racing Commission of Texas for bookmaking or pool selling and providing what constitutes prima facie evidence of a violation thereof; providing penalties for the violation of the several sections of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a State Board of Public Welfare for the State of Texas; providing for the appointment of a State Board of Public Welfare; providing that said Board shall consist of nine (9) members, one (1) of whom shall be a representative of labor, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, April 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 24, A bill to be entitled "An Act reciting the existing conditions of the farm, grazing and different lands of the State of Texas; determining the consequences of soil erosion and depletion of the fertility of the soil; reciting appropriate corrective methods; declaring the policy of the Legislature; defining certain words and phrases used in the Act; creating the State Soil Conservation Board; providing for the employment of an executive officer and other agents and employees as may be required; providing for a treasurer of said Board who shall be under bond; providing for the qualifications, duties, and compensation of such employees as are required by said Board; fixing the location of the office of the State Soil Conservation Board; providing the powers and duties of the State Soil Conservation Board; providing an appropriation for the use of said State Soil Conservation Board; creating County Soil Conservation Districts; designating who shall serve as officers of the respective County Soil Conservation Districts; providing for a treasurer of each County Soil Conservation District and fixing the bond therefor; prescribing the powers and duties of the County Soil Conservation District and prescribing the procedure therefor; repealing House Bill No. Thirteen (13), Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session; repealing Senate Bill No. Two Hundred Twenty-seven (227), Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session; providing that if any portion of the Act be held unconstitutional the remaining portion shall not thereby be affected; providing, that in the event any provision of this Act be in conflict with the provision of any law already existing that this Act shall be controlling, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.